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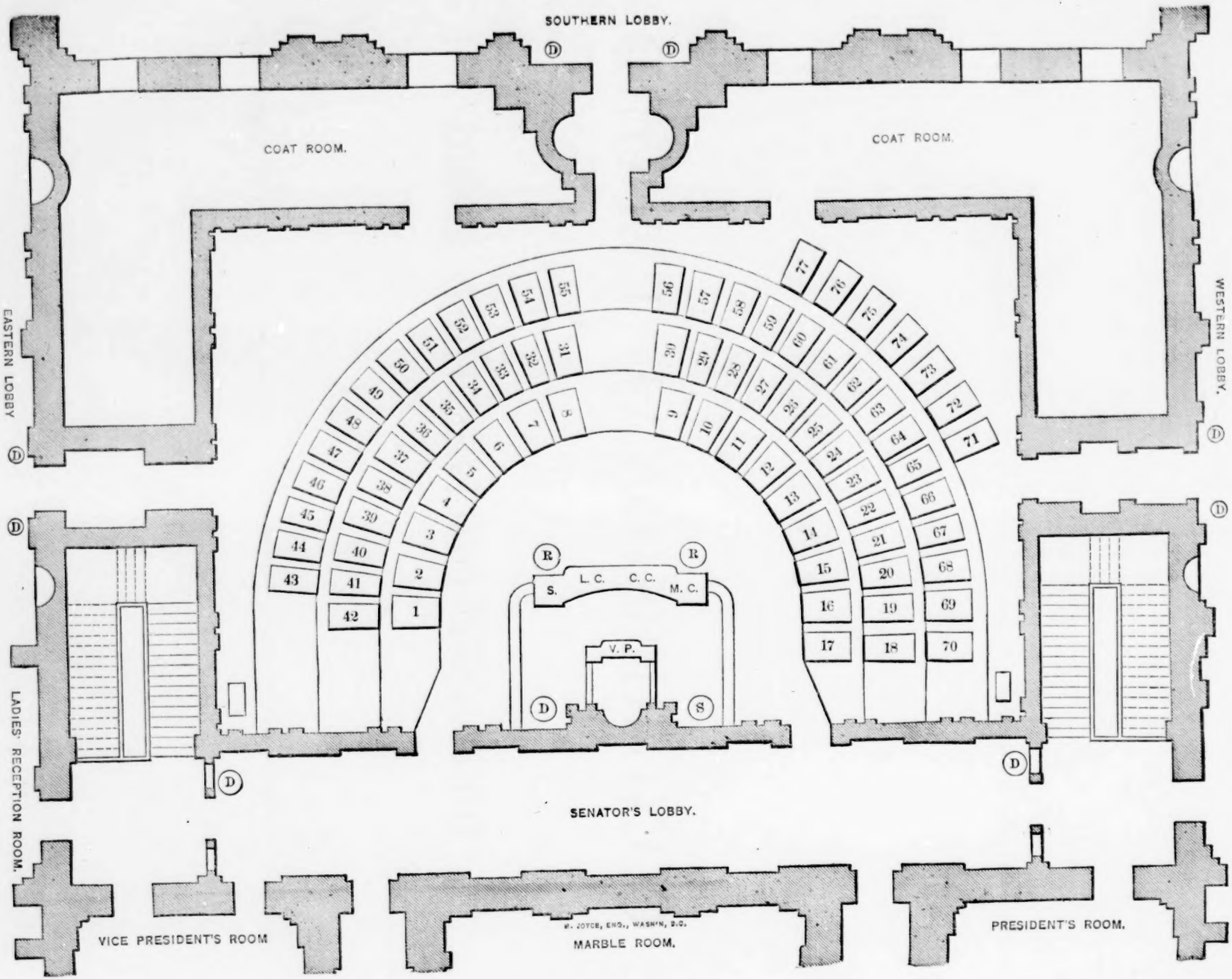
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OF

# SENATORS AND OFFICERS OF THE SENATE

IN THE

FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

WILLIAM A. WHEELER, President of the Senate, Malone, New York.

| Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. | Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Allison, William B | Dubuque, Iowa | 10 | Ingalls, John J | Atchison, Kansas | 33 |
| Anthony, Henry B | Providence, Rhode Island | 5 | Johnston, John W | Abingdon, Virginia | 63 |
| Bailey, James E | Clarksville, Tennessee | 60 | Jonas, Benjamin Franklin | New Orleans, Louisiana | 70 |
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| Booth, Newton | Sacramento, California | 50 | Lamar, Lucius Q. C | Oxford, Mississippi | 66 |
| Bruce, Blanche K | Rosedale, Mississippi | 1 | Logan, John A | Chicago, Illinois | 46 |
| Burnside, Ambrose E | Providence, Rhode Island | 41 | Maxey, Samuel B | Paris, Texas | 15 |
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| Cockrell, Francis M | Warrensburgh, Missouri | 12 | Pendleton, George H | Cincinnati, Ohio | 28 |
| Coke, Richard | Waco, Texas | 69 | Platt, Orville H | Meriden, Connecticut | 2 |
| Conkling, Roscoe | Utica, New York | 31 | Plumb, Preston B | Emporia, Kansas | 55 |
| Davis, David | Bloomington, Illinois | 9 | Randolph, Theodore F | Morristown, New Jersey | 73 |
| Davis, Henry G | Piedmont, West Virginia | 26 | Ransom, Matt W | Weldon, North Carolina | 30 |
| Dawes, Henry L | Pittsfield, Massachusetts | 51 | Rollins, Edward H | Concord, New Hampshire | 53 |
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| Farley, James T | Jackson, California | 74 | Sharon, William | Virginia City, Nevada | 52 |
| Ferry, Thomas W | Grand Haven, Michigan | 37 | Slater, James H | La Grande, Oregon | 75 |
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| Gordon, John B | Atlanta, Georgia | 65 | Thurman, Allen G | Columbus, Ohio | 59 |
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OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

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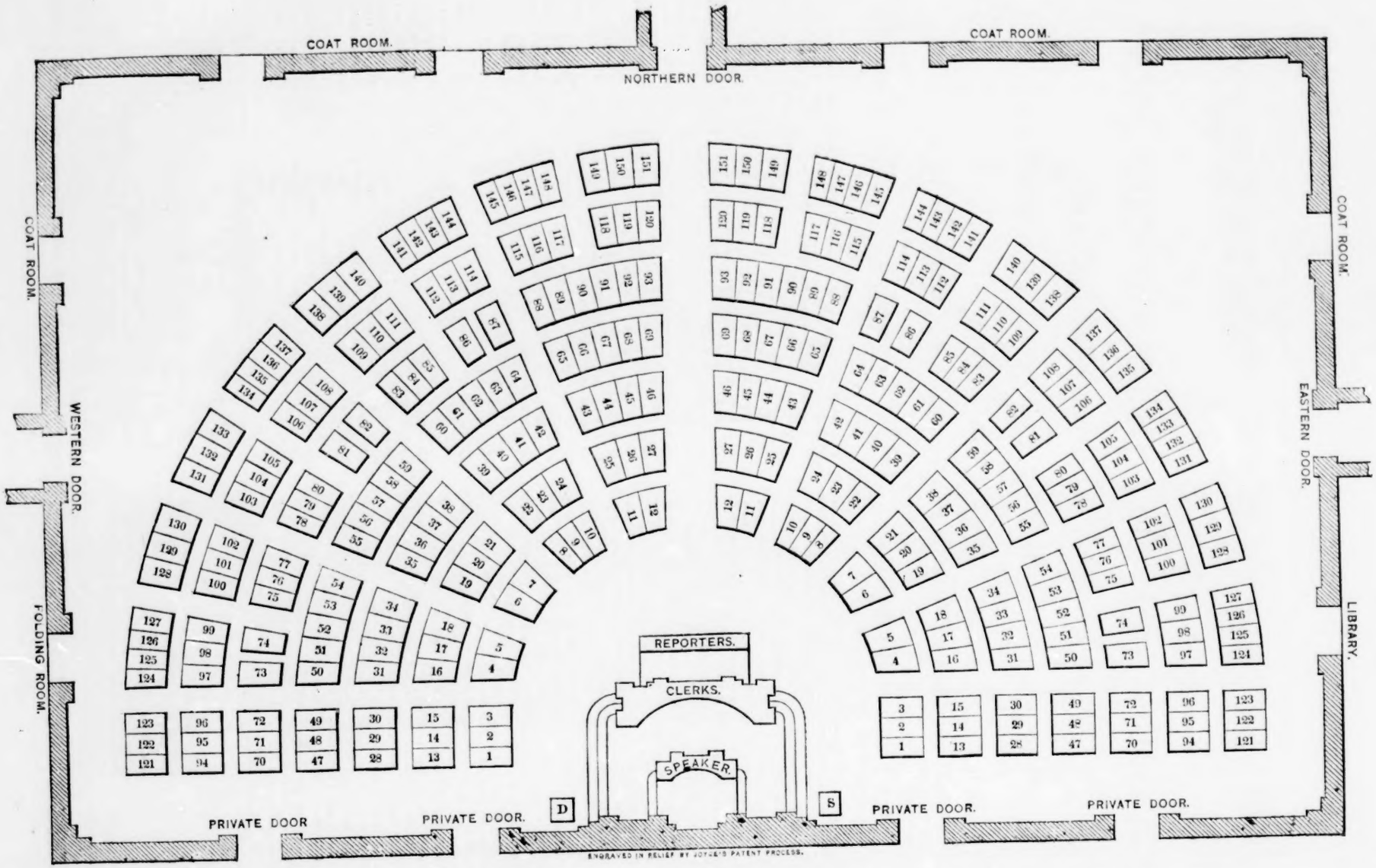
|---|---|---|
| John C. Burch | Secretary | Nashville, Tennessee. |
| Francis E. Shober | Chief Clerk | Salisbury, North Carolina. |
| Henry E. Peyton | Executive Clerk | Waterford, Virginia. |
| Richard J. Bright | Sergeant-at-Arms | Indianapolis, Indiana. |
| Isaac Bassett | Assistant Doorkeeper | Washington, District of Columbia. |
| W. P. McMichael | Postmaster | Bordentown, New Jersey. |

* Mr. Bell was appointed by the governor to fill vacancy caused by expiration of term of service of Bainbridge Wadleigh and was admitted by the Senate April 11, 1879. Henry W. Blair was elected by the Legislature to fill said vacancy, and took his seat June 20, 1879.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# REPRESENTATIVES AND DELEGATES

IN THE

## FIRST SESSION OF THE FORTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

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SAMUEL J. RANDALL, Speaker, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

| Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. | Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Acklen, Joseph H | Pattersonville, Louisiana | 67 east. | Conger, Omar D | Port Huron, Michigan | 137 west. |
| Aiken, D. Wyatt | Cokesbury, South Carolina | 145 east. | Converse, George L | Columbus, Ohio | 107 east. |
| Aldrich, Nelson W | Providence, Rhode Island | 128 west. | Cook, Philip | Americus, Georgia | 147 east. |
| Aldrich, William | Chicago, Illinois | 49 west. | Covert, James W | Flushing, New York | 74 east. |
| Anderson, John A | Manhattan, Kansas | 11 west. | Cowgill, Calvin | Wabash, Indiana | 58 west. |
| Armfield, R. F | Statesville, North Carolina | 83 east. | Cox, Samuel S | New York, New York | 36 east. |
| Atherton, Gibson | Newark, Ohio | 129 east. | Crapo, William W | New Bedford, Massachusetts | 139 west. |
| Atkins, John D. C | Paris, Tennessee | 20 east. | Cravens, Jordan E | Clarksville, Arkansas | 112 east. |
| Bachman, Reuben K | Durham, Pennsylvania | 75 east. | Crowley, Richard | Attica, New York | 147 west. |
| Bailey, John M | Albany, New York | 87 west. | Culberson, David B | Jefferson, Texas | 106 east. |
| Baker, John H | Goshen, Indiana | 143 west. | Daggett, Rollin M | Virginia City, Nevada | 127 west. |
| Ballou, Latimer W | Woonsocket, Rhode Island | 10 west. | Davidson, Robert H. M | Quincy, Florida | 41 east. |
| Barber, Hiram | Chicago, Illinois | 57 west. | Davis, George R | Chicago, Illinois | 83 west. |
| Barlow, Bradley | Saint Albans, Vermont | 105 west. | Davis, Joseph J | Louisburgh, North Carolina | 57 east. |
| Bayne, Thomas M | Allegheny City, Pennsylvania | 15 west. | Davis, Lowndes H | Jackson, Missouri | 29 east. |
| Beale, R. L. T | Hague, Virginia | 96 east. | Deering, Nathaniel C | Osage, Iowa | 56 west. |
| Belford, James B | Central City, Colorado | 109 west. | De La Matyr, Gilbert | Indianapolis, Indiana | 26 west. |
| Beltzhoover, Frank E | Carlisle, Pennsylvania | 1 east. | Deuster, Peter V | Milwaukee, Wisconsin | 52 east. |
| Bicknell, George A | New Albany, Indiana | 85 east. | Dibrell, George G | Sparta, Tennessee | 25 east. |
| Bingham, Henry H | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania | 14 west. | Dick, Samuel B | Meadville, Pennsylvania | 31 west. |
| Blackburn, Joseph C. S | Versailles, Kentucky | 39 east. | Dickey, Henry L | Greenfield, Ohio | 131 east. |
| Blake, John L | Orange, New Jersey | 107 west. | Dunn, Poindexter | Forest City, Arkansas | 111 east. |
| Bland, Richard P | Lebanon, Missouri | 32 east. | Dunnell, Mark H | Owatonna, Minnesota | 90 west. |
| Bliss, Archibald M | Brooklyn, New York | 109 east. | Dwight, Jeremiah W | Dryden, New York | 98 west. |
| Blount, James H | Macon, Georgia | 12 east. | Einstein, Edwin | New York, New York | 114 west. |
| Bouck, Gabriel | Oshkosh, Wisconsin | 117 east. | Elam, Joseph B | Mansfield, Louisiana | 5 east. |
| Bowman, Selwyn Z | Somerville, Massachusetts | 73 west. | Ellis, E. John | New Orleans, Louisiana | 24 east. |
| Boyd, Thomas A | Lewiston, Illinois | 50 west. | Errett, Russell | Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania | 74 west. |
| Bragg, Edward S | Fond du Lac, Wisconsin | 54 east. | Evins, John H | Spartanburgh, South Carolina | 120 east. |
| Brewer, Mark S | Pontiac, Michigan | 134 west. | Ewing, Thomas | Lancaster, Ohio | 8 east. |
| Briggs, James F | Manchester, New Hampshire | 93 west. | Farr, Evarts W | Littleton, New Hampshire | 97 west. |
| Brigham, Lewis A | Jersey City, New Jersey | 85 west. | Felton, William H | Cartersville, Georgia | 130 east. |
| Bright, John M | Fayetteville, Tennessee | 45 east. | Ferdon, John W | Nyack, New York | 41 west. |
| Browne, Thomas M | Winchester, Indiana | 19 west. | Field, Walbridge A | Boston, Massachusetts | 48 west. |
| Buckner, Aylett H | Mexico, Missouri | 33 east. | Finley, Ebenezer B | Bucyrus, Ohio | 55 east. |
| Burrows, Julius C | Kalamazoo, Michigan | 142 west. | Fisher, Horatio G | Huntingdon, Pennsylvania | 5 west. |
| Butterworth, Benjamin | Cincinnati, Ohio | 66 west. | Ford, Nicholas | Rochester, Missouri | 2 west. |
| Cabell, George C | Danville, Virginia | 60 east. | Forney, William H | Jacksonville, Alabama | 80 east. |
| Caldwell, John W | Russellville, Kentucky | 138 east. | Forsythe, Albert P | Dudley, Illinois | 45 west. |
| Calkins, William H | La Porte, Indiana | 110 west. | Fort, Greenbury L | Lacon, Illinois | 102 west. |
| Camp, John H | Lyons, New York | 22 west. | Frost, R. Graham | Saint Louis, Missouri | 76 east. |
| Cannon, Joseph G | Danville, Illinois | 113 west. | Frye, William P | Lewiston, Maine | 18 west. |
| Carlisle, John G | Covington, Kentucky | 46 east. | Garfield, James A | Mentor, Ohio | 64 west. |
| Carpenter, Cyrus C | Fort Dodge, Iowa | 104 west. | Geddes, George W | Mansfield, Ohio | 61 east. |
| Caswell, Lucien B | Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin | 138 west. | Gibson, Randall L | New Orleans, Louisiana | 91 east. |
| Chalmers, James R | Vicksburgh, Mississippi | 149 east. | Gillette, Edward H | Des Moines, Iowa | 27 west. |
| Chittenden, Simeon B | Brooklyn, New York | 51 west. | Godshalk, William | Norristown, Pennsylvania | 79 west. |
| Claflin, William | Newton, Massachusetts | 132 west. | Goode, John | Norfolk, Virginia | 95 east. |
| Clardy, Martin L | Farmington, Missouri | 59 east. | Gunter, Thomas M | Fayetteville, Arkansas | 86 east. |
| Clark, Alvah A | Somerville, New Jersey | 18 east. | Hall, Joshua G | Dover, New Hampshire | 92 west. |
| Clark, John B., jr | Fayette, Missouri | 123 east. | Hammond, John | Crown Point, New York | 131 west. |
| Clark, Rush* | Iowa City, Iowa | 106 west. | Hammond, N. J | Atlanta, Georgia | 98 east. |
| Clymer, Hiester | Reading, Pennsylvania | 27 east. | Harmer, Alfred C | Germantown, Pennsylvania | 4 west. |
| Cobb, Thomas R | Vincennes, Indiana | 90 east. | Harris, Benjamin W | East Bridgewater, Mass | 116 west. |
| Coffroth, Alexander H | Somerset, Pennsylvania | 82 east. | Harris, John T | Harrisonburgh, Virginia | 43 east. |
| Colerick, Walpole G | Fort Wayne, Indiana | 127 east. | Haskell, Dudley C | Lawrence, Kansas | 69 west. |

* Died April 28, 1879.

*Names, post-office addresses, and seats of members of the House of Representatives*—Continued.

| Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. | Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Hatch, William H | Hannibal, Missouri | 81 east. | Orth, Godlove S | La Fayette, Indiana | 6 west. |
| Hawk, Robert M. A | Fort Carroll, Illinois | 8 west. | Osmer, J. H | Franklin, Pennsylvania | 36 west. |
| Hawley, Joseph R | Hartford, Connecticut | 140 west. | Overton, Edward, jr | Towanda, Pennsylvania | 112 west. |
| Hayes, Philip C | Morris, Illinois | 30 west. | Persons, Henry | Talbotton, Georgia | 141 east. |
| Hazelton, George C | Boscobel, Wisconsin | 75 west. | Phelps, James | Essex, Connecticut | 140 east. |
| Heilman, William | Evansville, Indiana | 59 west. | Phister, Elijah C | Maysville, Kentucky | 64 east. |
| Henderson, Thomas J | Princeton, Illinois | 99 west. | Pierce, Ray V | Buffalo, New York | 141 west. |
| Henkle, Eli J | Brooklyn, Maryland | 148 east. | Poehler, Henry | Henderson, Minnesota | 78 east. |
| Henry, Daniel M | Cambridge, Maryland | 48 east. | Pound, Thaddeus C | Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin | 52 west. |
| Herbert, Hilary A | Montgomery, Alabama | 104 east. | Prescott, Cyrus D | Rome, New York | 88 west. |
| Herndon, Thomas H | Mobile, Alabama | 79 east. | Price, Hiram | Davenport, Iowa | 21 west. |
| Hill, William D | Defiance, Ohio | 71 east. | Reagan, John H | Palestine, Texas | 23 east. |
| Hiscock, Frank | Syracuse, New York | 148 west. | Reed, Thomas B | Portland, Maine | 40 west. |
| Hooker, Charles E | Jackson, Mississippi | 101 east. | Rice, William W | Worcester, Massachusetts | 96 west. |
| Horr, Roswell G | East Saginaw, Michigan | 28 west. | Richardson, David P | Angelica, New York | 118 west. |
| Hostetler, Abraham J | Bedford, Indiana | 68 east. | Richardson, John S | Sumter, South Carolina | 89 east. |
| Houk, L. C | Knoxville, Tennessee | 63 west. | Richmond, James B | Estillville, Virginia | 44 east. |
| House, John F | Clarksville, Tennessee | 84 east. | Robertson, E. W | Baton Rouge, Louisiana | 4 east. |
| Hubbell, Jay A | Houghton, Michigan | 91 west. | Robeson, George M | Camden, New Jersey | 81 west. |
| Hull, Noble A | Sanford, Florida | 142 east. | Robinson, George D | Chicopee, Massachusetts | 73 west. |
| Humphrey, Herman L | Hudson, Wisconsin | 25 west. | Ross, Miles | New Brunswick, New Jersey | 17 east. |
| Hunton, Eppa | Warrenton, Virginia | 22 east. | Rothwell, Gideon F | Moberly, Missouri | 137 east. |
| Hurd, Frank H | Toledo, Ohio | 108 east. | Russell, Daniel L | Wilmington, North Carolina | 3 west. |
| James, Amaziah B | Ogdensburgh, New York | 123 west. | Russell, William A | Lawrence, Massachusetts | 103 west. |
| Johnston, Joseph E | Richmond, Virginia | 150 east. | Ryan, Thomas | Topeka, Kansas | 68 west. |
| Jones, G. W | Bastrop, Texas | 121 east. | Ryon, John W | Pottsville, Pennsylvania | 128 east. |
| Jorgensen, Joseph | Petersburgh, Virginia | 24 west. | Samford, William J | Opelika, Alabama | 133 east. |
| Joyce, Charles H | Rutland, Vermont | 77 west. | Sapp, William F | Council Bluffs, Iowa | 39 west. |
| Keifer, J. Warren | Springfield, Ohio | 61 west. | Sawyer, Samuel L | Independence, Missouri | 126 east. |
| Kelley, William D | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania | 42 west. | Scales, Alfred M | Greensborough, N. C | 49 east. |
| Kenna, John E | Kanawha C. H., W. Va | 124 east. | Shallenberger, William S | Rochester, Pennsylvania | 82 west. |
| Ketcham, John H | Dover Plains, New York | 54 west. | Shelley, Charles M | Selma, Alabama | 132 east. |
| Killinger, John W | Lebanon, Pennsylvania | 13 west. | Sherwin, John C | Aurora, Illinois | 80 west. |
| Kimmel, William | Baltimore, Maryland | 3 east. | Simonton, C. B | Covington, Tennessee | 26 east. |
| King, J. Floyd | Vidalia, Louisiana | 92 east. | Singleton, James W | Quincy, Illinois | 19 east. |
| Kitchin, W. H | Scotland Neck, North Carolina | 37 east. | Singleton, Otho R | Canton, Mississippi | 119 east. |
| Klotz, Robert | Mauch Chunk, Pennsylvania | 47 east. | Slemons, William F | Monticello, Arkansas | 15 east. |
| Knott, J. Proctor | Lebanon, Kentucky | 87 east. | Smith, A. Herr | Lancaster, Pennsylvania | 76 west. |
| Ladd, George W | Bangor, Maine | 94 east. | Smith, Hezekiah B | Smithville, New Jersey | 6 east. |
| Lapham, Elbridge G | Canandaigua, New York | 117 west. | Smith, William E | Albany, Georgia | 28 east. |
| Lay, Alfred M | Jefferson City, Missouri | 70 east. | Sparks, William A. J | Carlyle, Illinois | 136 east. |
| Le Fevre, Benjamin | Sidney, Ohio | 103 east. | Speer, Emory | Athens, Georgia | 51 east. |
| Lewis, Burwell B | Tuscaloosa, Alabama | 114 east. | Springer, William M | Springfield, Illinois | 40 east. |
| Lindsey, Stephen D | Norridgewock, Maine | 16 west. | Starin, John H | Fultonville, New York | 146 west. |
| Loring, George B | Salem, Massachusetts | 136 west. | Steele, Walter L | Rockingham, North Carolina | 99 east. |
| Lounsbery, William | Kingston, New York | 42 east. | Stephens, Alexander H | Crawfordville, Georgia | 0 east. |
| Lowe, William M | Huntsville, Alabama | 1 west. | Stevenson, Adlai E | Bloomington, Illinois | 62 west. |
| Manning, Van H | Holly Springs, Mississippi | 72 east. | Stone, John W | Grand Rapids, Michigan | 65 west. |
| Marsh, Benjamin F | Warsaw, Illinois | 149 west. | Talbott, J. Fred. C | Towsontown, Maryland | 2 east. |
| Martin, Benjamin F | Pruntytown, West Virginia | 16 east. | Taylor, R. L | Carter's Depot, Tennessee | 110 east. |
| Martin, Edward L | Seaford, Delaware | 34 east. | Thomas, John R | Metropolis, Illinois | 29 west. |
| Martin, Joseph J | Williamston, North Carolina | 55 west. | Thompson, Philip B., jr | Harrodsburgh, Kentucky | 88 east. |
| Mason, Joseph | Hamilton, New York | 100 west. | Tillman, George D | Clark's Hill, South Carolina | 118 east. |
| McCoid, Moses A | Fairfield, Iowa | 37 west. | Townsend, Amos | Cleveland, Ohio | 60 west. |
| McCook, Anson G | New York, New York | 86 west. | Townshend, Richard W | Shawneetown, Illinois | 9 east. |
| McGowan, Jonas H | Coldwater, Michigan | 133 west. | Tucker, John R | Lexington, Virginia | 69 east. |
| McKenzie, James A | Longview, Kentucky | 63 east. | Turner, Oscar | Woodville, Kentucky | 143 east. |
| McKinley, William, jr | Canton, Ohio | 34 west. | Turner, Thomas | Mount Sterling, Kentucky | 21 east. |
| McLane, Robert M | Baltimore, Maryland | 65 east. | Tyler, James M | Brattleborough, Vermont | 111 west. |
| McMahon, John A | Dayton, Ohio | 53 east. | Updegraff, Jonathan T | Mount Pleasant, Ohio | 67 west. |
| McMillin, Benton | Carthage, Tennessee | 14 east. | Updegraff, Thomas | McGregor, Iowa | 35 west. |
| Miles, Frederick | Chapinville, Connecticut | 53 west. | Upson, Columbus* | ——, Texas | ..... |
| Miller, Warner | Herkimer, New York | 89 west. | Urner, Milton G | Frederick City, Maryland | 32 west. |
| Mills, Roger Q | Corsicana, Texas | 135 east. | Valentine, Edward K | West Point, Nebraska | 84 west. |
| Mitchell, John I | Wellsborough, Pennsylvania | 33 west. | Van Aernam, Henry | Franklinville, New York | 20 west. |
| Money, Hernando D | Winona, Mississippi | 73 east. | Vance, Robert B | Asheville, North Carolina | 100 east. |
| Monroe, James | Oberlin, Ohio | 9 west. | Van Voorhis, John | Rochester, New York | 120 west. |
| Morrison, William R | Waterloo, Illinois | 139 east. | Voorhis, Charles H | Hackensack, New Jersey | 108 west. |
| Morse, Leopold | Boston, Massachusetts | 30 east. | Waddill, James R | Springfield, Missouri | 125 east. |
| Morton, Levi P | New York, New York | 17 west. | Wait, John T | Norwich, Connecticut | 151 west. |
| Muldrow, H. L | Starkville, Mississippi | 97 east. | Ward, William | Chester, Pennsylvania | 145 west. |
| Muller, Nicholas | New York, New York | 151 east. | Warner, A. J | Marietta, Ohio | 50 east. |
| Murch, Thompson H | Rockland, Maine | 12 west. | Washburn, William D | Minneapolis, Minnesota | 101 west. |
| Myers, William R | Anderson, Indiana | 102 east. | Weaver, James B | Bloomfield, Iowa | 46 west. |
| Neal, Henry S | Ironton, Ohio | 135 west. | Wellborn, Olin | Dallas, Texas | 134 east. |
| New, Jeptha D | Vernon, Indiana | 58 east. | Wells, Erastus | Saint Louis, Missouri | 93 east. |
| Newberry, John S | Detroit, Michigan | 115 west. | White, Harry | Indiana, Pennsylvania | 38 west. |
| Nicholls, John C | Blackshear, Georgia | 13 east. | Whiteaker, John | Pleasant Hill, Oregon | 35 east. |
| Norcross, Amasa | Fitchburgh, Massachusetts | 72 west. | Whitthorne, W. C | Columbia, Tennessee | 10 east. |
| O'Brien, James | New York, New York | 66 east. | Wilber, David | Milford, New York | 7 west. |
| O'Connor, M. P | Charleston, South Carolina | 144 east. | Williams, Charles G | Janesville, Wisconsin | 62 west. |
| O'Neill, Charles | Philadelphia, Pennsylvania | 144 west. | Williams, Thomas | Wetumpka, Alabama | 105 east. |
| O'Reilly, Daniel | Brooklyn, New York | 146 east. | Willis, Albert S | Louisville, Kentucky | 38 east. |

* Elected to fill vacancy caused by death of Gustave Schleicher.

*Names, post-office addresses, and seats of members of the House of Representatives*—Continued.

| Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. | Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Willits, Edwin | Monroe, Michigan | 23 west. | Wright, Hendrick B | Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania | 56 east. |
| Wilson, Benjamin | Wilsonburgh, West Virginia | 11 east. | Yocum, Seth H | Bellefontaine, Pennsylvania | 44 west. |
| Wise, Morgan R | Waynesburgh, Pennsylvania | 7 east. | Young, Casey | Memphis, Tennessee | 31 east. |
| Wood, Fernando | New York, New York | 77 east. | Young, Thomas L | Cincinnati, Ohio | 130 west. |
| Wood, Walter A | Hoosick Falls, New York | 43 west. | | | |

DELEGATES.

| Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. | Name. | Post-office address. | Seat. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ainslie, George | Idaho City, Idaho | 70 west. | Cannon, George Q | Salt Lake City, Utah | 113 east. |
| Bennett, G. G | Yankton, Dakota | 78 west. | Downey, S. W | Laramie City, Wyoming | 121 west. |
| Brents, Thomas H | Walla Walla, Washington | 119 west. | Maginnis, Martin | Helena, Montana | 115 east. |
| Campbell, John G | Prescott, Arizona | 116 east. | Otero, M. S | Barnalillo, New Mexico | 94 west. |

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Whereas in November, 1876, the first annual report on commerce and navigation made under said law was transmitted to Congress and did not contain the annual report on the domestic or internal commerce of the United States and the first annual report on internal commerce which should have been made in November, 1876, and was not made until June 30, 1877, and the second and third annual reports on internal commerce which should have accompanied the annual reports on commerce and navigation made in November, 1877, and November, 1878, have not yet been made, or, if made to the Secretary of the Treasury, have not been transmitted to Congress; and
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Whereas the business and other public interests of the country will be best promoted by confining legislation at this session to making provision for the objects aforesaid, and by an early adjournment: Therefore,
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Whereas on the 8th day of January, 1879, said commissioners were directed by a resolution of the Senate "to inform the Senate what churches, colleges, school-houses and educational institutions have been subjected to assessment and the payment of taxes for general or special improvement since June 17, 1870, and what sums of money, if any, have been received in respect of general and special taxes on churches, colleges, school-houses, and educational institutions since June 17, 1870, and what taxes, if any, have been remitted or refunded in respect of colleges, school-houses, and educational institutions, the amounts so remitted and the authority under which such remissions and repayments have been made;" and
Whereas said commissioners have omitted to respond to the last-mentioned direction: Therefore,
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Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 593
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S. No. 456—
For the relief of Alston M. Boyd and Rufus P. Walt.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 593
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 593

S. No. 457—
For the relief of Lucinda McGuire.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 593
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 593

S. No. 458—
To authorize a preliminary examination and survey of the passes between the affluents of the Upper Missouri and Columbia rivers, for the purpose of ascertaining the distances between the navigable waters of said rivers, and the practicability of uniting said rivers by canal or otherwise.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 593
Referred to the Select Committee on Transportation Routes to the Seaboard ..... 593

S. No. 459—
For the relief of Elizabeth B. Custer.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 593
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 593

S. No. 460—
To ascertain and determine the title to the tract of land known as the Rancho Panoche Grande, in the State of California.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 593
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 593

S. No. 461—
Granting an increase of pension to Elmer A. Snow.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 593
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 593

S. No. 462—
For the relief of William Byers, of Batesville, Arkansas.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Arkansas ..... 593
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S. No. 463—
To amend section 688 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Morgan, of Alabama ..... 593
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S. No. 464—
For the erection of a public building at Montgomery, Alabama.
Introduced by Mr. Morgan, of Alabama ..... 603
Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 603

S. No. 465—
Granting an increase of pension to George Smith.
Introduced by Mr. Withers, of Virginia ..... 603
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S. No. 466—
For the relief of George McDougall.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 603
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 603

S. No. 467—
To carry into effect the second and sixteenth articles of the treaty between the United States and the Great and Little Osage Indians, proclaimed January 21, 1867.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 603
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 603

S. No. 468—
For the relief of John W. Cheeks.
Introduced by Mr. Bailey, of Tennessee ..... 603
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 603

S. No. 469—
For the relief of the City Distilling Company of Pekin, Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 604
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 604

S. No. 470—
To provide for an investigation and examination of the accounts of certain land-grant railroads in accordance with the decision of the Supreme Court, and for a full report of the result thereof to Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 660

S. No. 471—
To aid in the construction of the Denison and Pacific Railway from Denison, Texas, to the Rio Grande.
Introduced by Mr. Ingalls, of Kansas ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Railroads ..... 660

S. No. 472—
For the relief of destitute colored persons now migrating from the Southern States.
Introduced by Mr. Ingalls, of Kansas ..... 661
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 661

S. No. 473—
For the relief of William R. Testerman.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 660

S. No. 474—
For the relief of William McGovern.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 660

S. No. 475—
Granting a pension to Henry J. Churchman.
Introduced by Mr. Withers, of Virginia ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 660

S. No. 476—
For the relief of Thomas M. Simmons.
Introduced by Mr. Jonas, of Louisiana ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 660

S. No. 477—
For the relief of General Ward B. Burnett.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 660
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 661

S. No. 478—
To replace the name of Laurence A. Williams, late major Sixth Cavalry, United States Army, upon the rolls of the Army.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 661
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 661

S. No. 479—
For the relief of Riley A. Shinn and Henry P. Gilbert, sureties on the bond of Charles S. English, late collector of customs for the port of Georgetown, District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 661
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 661

S. No. 480—
For the relief of William P. Patrick.
Introduced by Mr. Chandler, of Michigan ..... 661
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 661

S. No. 481—
For the better organization of the district court of the United States within the State of Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Kellogg, of Louisiana ..... 716
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S. No. 482—
To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to repair and extend the public building owned by the Government at Cleveland, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio ..... 716
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 716

S. No. 483—
For the relief of William L. White.
Introduced by Mr. Grover, of Oregon ..... 716
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 716

S. No. 484—
For the relief of Mrs. Caroline S. Webster.
Introduced by Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts ..... 797
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 797

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Giving the consent of the United States to the prosecution of the suit of G. W. Custis Lee for the recovery of Arlington on certain conditions.
Introduced by Mr. Johnston, of Virginia ..... 798
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S. No. 486—
To provide for the payment of Joseph H. Jenkins for services rendered by him as clerk to the secretary of the Territory of Colorado.
Introduced by Mr. Teller, of Colorado ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 798

S. No. 487—
To provide for the appointment of an additional circuit judge in the eighth judicial circuit.
Introduced by Mr. Paddock, of Nebraska ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 798

S. No. 488—
Supplemental to an act entitled "An act for the apportionment of Representatives to Congress among the several States according to the ninth census."
Introduced by Mr. Paddock, of Nebraska ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections ..... 798
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S. No. 489—
For the relief of James P. Worrell.
Introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas ..... 798
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S. No. 490—
In relation to certain fees allowed registers and receivers.
Introduced by Mr. Booth, of California ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 798

S. No. 491—
For the relief of Cyrus Thomas, disbursing agent of the United States entomological commission.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 798
Reported back with amendment ..... 1715
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1715
Title amended ..... 1715
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1773, 1774
Examined and signed ..... 1808, 1834
Approved by the President ..... 1910

S. No. 492—
To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue $10,000,000 of 4 per cent. bonds for the payment of arrears of pensions.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 798

S. No. 493—
Directing the removal of obstructions from the harbor at the Delaware breakwater.
Introduced by Mr. Saulsbury, of Delaware ..... 798
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 798

S. No. 494—
To authorize the President to restore Charles Brewster to his former rank in the Army.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 901

S. No. 495—
To reinstate Thomas H. Lawrence as a third lieutenant in the United States Revenue Marine.
Introduced by Mr. Kernan, of New York ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 901

S. No. 496—
To provide for the examination and adjudication of pension claims.
Introduced by Mr. Withers, of Virginia ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 901

S. No. 497—
Granting a pension to J. Clinton De Witt.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania ..... 901
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Changing the time for holding the November term of the United States district court in the district of Connecticut.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 901
Reported back with amendment and passed by the Senate. 2285
Passed by the House ..... 2417
Examined and signed ..... 2413, 2424
Approved by the President ..... 2435

S. No. 499—
Granting a pension to Lee R. Seaton.
Introduced by Mr. Allison, of Iowa ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 901

S. No. 500—
For the relief of William L. Adams.
Introduced by Mr. Grover, of Oregon ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 901

S. No. 501—
To amend section 5440 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Morgan, of Alabama ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 901

S. No. 502—
For the better preservation of life at sea.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 963

S. No. 503—
To regulate the legal value of metallic money and to provide for the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver bullion, and to restore coin to circulation.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 963

S. No. 504—
To correct the military record of William H. Terry, late a private in Company H, Thirty-fourth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 963

S. No. 505—
Relating to the Washington Market Company.
Introduced by Mr. Rollins, of New Hampshire ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 963

S. No. 506—
To change the name of the steam propeller Nuhpa to Metropolitan.
Introduced by Mr. Kernan, of New York ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 963
Reported back, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 1944
Considered by the House ..... 2307
Passed by the House ..... 2355
Examined and signed ..... 2401, 2417
Approved by the President ..... 2435

S. No. 507—
To increase pensions in certain cases.
Introduced by Mr. Kernan, of New York ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 963

S. No. 508—
For the organization of a secret-service bureau in the Treasury Department.
Introduced by Mr. Kernan, of New York ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 963

S. No. 509—
To amend the practice of the courts of the United States in suits against municipal corporations, by abolishing the use of writs of mandamus in certain cases, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of Illinois ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 963

S. No. 510—
For the relief of Joel S. Hankins and William Boyd.
Introduced by Mr. Houston, of Alabama ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 963

S. No. 511—
For the relief of Eugene Wells.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 963

S. No. 512—
Granting to the State of Missouri the public lands heretofore granted that State to aid in the construction of the Saint Louis and Iron Mountain Railroad, and repealing so much of the act of July 4, 1866, as places certain conditions and limitations upon said grant.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 963

S. No. 513—
To provide for the survey of the private land claim in Arizona called the Rancho of El Paso de los Algordones.
Introduced by Mr. Farley, of California ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Private Land Claims ..... 963

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S. No. 514—
To increase educational facilities and establish additional normal and industrial training schools for the benefit of youth belonging to such nomadic Indian tribes as have educational treaty claims upon the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 963

S. No. 515—
Empowering the Commissioner of Patents to extend the letters-patent granted to D. W. Crocker, of Deposit, State of New York, on railway chairs.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 963

S. No. 516—
To extend the time of special postal service until service can be obtained by advertisement.
Introduced by Mr. Teller, of Colorado ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads. 963
Reported favorably and placed on the Calendar ..... 1001
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1048, 1049
Referred to House Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1161
Reported back with amendment, and passed by the House. 1777
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Reported back and concurrence recommended ..... 1794
House amendment concurred in by the Senate ..... 1808
Examined and signed ..... 1879, 1888
Approved by the President ..... 1944

S. No. 517—
For the relief of Francis S. Davidson.
Introduced by Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 963

S. No. 518—
To incorporate the National Electric Light Company of the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ... 963

S. No. 519—
For the relief of Edward S. Wilson.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 963

S. No. 520—
For the relief of the heirs of Andrew White.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 963

S. No. 521—
In relation to engineers in the United States Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 963

S. No. 522—
To extend the provisions of section 4621 of title 56, "Prize," of the Revised Statutes, and of the act of June 8, 1874, in relation to prize money to all fleet officers.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 963

S. No. 523—
For the relief of Dr. Charles H. Nichols.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 963

S. No. 524—
To provide for double-stamped envelopes, double postal cards, and letter-sheet envelopes.
Introduced by Mr. Lamar, of Mississippi ..... 963
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads. 963

S. No. 525—
To establish upon a permanent footing the professorships of modern languages and of drawing at the United States Naval Academy.
Introduced by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland ..... 975
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 975

S. No. 526—
Granting a pension to Esther E. Lieurance.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Wisconsin ..... 975
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 975

S. No. 527—
To provide that all persons sentenced to imprisonment by the United States courts shall be confined in the prisons of the States wherein they were tried and convicted.
Introduced by Mr. Vance, of North Carolina ..... 975
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 975

S. No. 528—
To abolish the office of water registrar of the District of Columbia, and transfer the charge and control of the water supply to the Chief of Engineers in charge of the Washington Aqueduct.
Introduced by Mr. Rollins, of New Hampshire ..... 975
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 975

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S. No. 529—
To provide for the better care and protection of quartermasters' supplies.
Introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas ..... 975
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 975

S. No. 530—
For the relief of James P. W. Neill.
Introduced by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware ..... 975
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 975

S. No. 531—
To re-establish the office of assistant-treasurer of the United States at Charleston, South Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. Butler, of South Carolina ..... 980
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 980

S. No. 532—
For the relief of Eliza Howard Powers.
Introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas ..... 980
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 980

S. No. 533—
For the relief of Charles W. Abbott, a pay-director, and W. W. Barry, a passed assistant-paymaster in the United States Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts ..... 1001
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1001

S. No. 534—
Granting a pension to Caroline Treckell.
Introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas ..... 1001
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1001

S. No. 535—
Granting a pension to William H. Miller.
Introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas ..... 1001
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1001

S. No. 536—
Placing the name of Walter F. Halleck upon the retired list of the United States Army.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of Illinois ..... 1001
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1001

S. No. 537—
To refer the claim of Alice E. De Groot and Theodore R. B. De Groot, administrators of William H. De Groot, deceased, to the United States Court of Claims.
Introduced by Mr. Kernan, of New York ..... 1001
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1001

S. No. 538—
To authorize the payment of certain claims for arrears of pay and bounty.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania ..... 1001
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1001

S. No. 539—
In relation to gifts, devises, and bequests to the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1021

S. No. 540—
Granting a pension to John S. Corlett.
Introduced by Mr. Allison, of Iowa ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1021

S. No. 541—
For the relief of Perez Dickinson, the surviving partner of James Cowan, deceased, heretofore trading and doing business under the firm-name and style of Cowan & Dickinson, of Knoxville, East Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Bailey, of Tennessee ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1021

S. No. 542—
For the relief of Benjamin C. Bampton.
Introduced by Mr. Kellogg, of Louisiana ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1021

S. No. 543—
For the relief of Jabes Burchard.
Introduced by Mr. Kellogg, of Louisiana ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1021

S. No. 544—
To provide for the construction of a railway from the Mississippi waters to the Pacific Ocean, and amendatory of and supplemental to the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Texas Pacific Railway Company, and to aid in the construction of its road, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1871, and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.
Introduced by Mr. Johnston, of Virginia ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Railroads ..... 1022

S. No. 545—
Granting a pension to Elizabeth H. Pierce.
Introduced by Mr. Hamlin, of Maine ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1021

S. No. 546—
For the relief of John C. Birdsell.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 1021

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S. No. 547—
For the better protection of life during marine disasters.
Introduced by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland ..... 1021
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1021

S. No. 548—
To amend certain sections of the Revised Statutes of the United States relating to coinage and coin and bullion certificates, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1043

S. No. 549—
For the relief of Samuel I. Gustin.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Georgia ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1043

S. No. 550—
To extend the northern boundary of the State of Nebraska.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Territories ..... 1043

S. No. 551—
Granting a pension to James O'Connor.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1043

S. No. 552—
Granting a pension to Marshall D. Ellis.
Introduced by Mr. Ingalls, of Kansas ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1043

S. No. 553—
For the relief of Elisha Bass.
Introduced by Mr. Teller, of Colorado ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1043

S. No. 554—
To prohibit military interference at elections.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1043
Reported back with amendments, and printed ..... 1071

S. No. 555—
To secure the equestrian statue of General Nathaniel Greene upon the pedestal, and to improve the square in which it is situated.
Introduced by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island ..... 1049
Considered and referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1049

S. No. 556—
To authorize the President to appoint Sergeant John Dolan, of the Fifth Cavalry, United States Army, a second lieutenant and place him on the retired list.
Introduced by Mr. Plumb, of Kansas ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1071

S. No. 557—
To authorize the payment of prize money to the captors of the steamboat New Era No. 5, and cargo.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1071

S. No. 558—
For the relief of the heirs of Henry E. Muhlenberg.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1071

S. No. 559—
Donating condemned cannon and cannon-balls, or field pieces to William L. Curry Post No. 18, Grand Army of the Republic, for their place of burial.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1071

S. No. 560—
For the relief of Eva Vansant, Henry Carlton, and Maud Carlton, children of General James H. Carlton.
Introduced by Mr. Booth, of California ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1071

S. No. 561—
To authorize the payment of the debt of the Osage Nation of Indians.
Introduced by Mr. Carpenter, of Wisconsin ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1071

S. No. 562—
Granting an increase of pension to Thornton Smith.
Introduced by Mr. Carpenter, of Wisconsin ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1071

S. No. 563—
For the relief of Mary B. Kirby.
Introduced by Mr. Withers, of Virginia ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1071

S. No. 564—
To enable the centennial board of finance, incorporated by an act approved June 1, 1872, to close its affairs and to dissolve said corporation.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1071

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S. No. 565—
To authorize the employment of three additional assistants in the Library of Congress.
Reported by Mr. Voorhees, from the Committee on the Library ..... 1097
Considered and passed ..... 1097–1143
Referred to the House Committee of the Whole ..... 1194
Considered and reported back without amendment and passed ..... 1195–1197
Examined and signed ..... 1220, 1223
Approved by the President ..... 1351

S. No. 566—
To restore to certain scouts and soldiers of the United States Army of the Sioux Nation of Indians the money and annuities belonging to them, confiscated and forfeited to the United States under an act for the relief of persons for damages sustained by reason of depredation and injuries by certain bands of Sioux Indians, approved February 16, 1863.
Introduced by Mr. McMillan, of Minnesota ..... 1098
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1098

S. No. 567—
For the relief of William S. Mackay.
Introduced by Mr. Rollins, of New Hampshire ..... 1098
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1098

S. No. 568—
To provide for the purchase of two hundred acres of land in the State of Florida and to establish thereon an experimental farm for the cultivation and improvement of plants adapted to the climate of that part of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1098
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture ..... 1098

S. No. 569—
To provide for the purchase of suitable sites and the erection thereon of public buildings and the improvement and repairs of the buildings now belonging to the United States in the cities of Jacksonville, Pensacola, and Key West, in the State of Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1098
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1098

S. No. 570—
To repeal a portion of sections 5 and 6 of an act in relation to pensions, approved March 9, 1878.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1098
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1098

S. No. 571—
Extending the limitation of the liability of vessels in cases of collision to foreign vessels.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1142
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1142

S. No. 572—
To amend an act approved February 24, 1879, entitled "An act to create the northern judicial district of the State of Texas, and to change the eastern and western judicial districts of said State, and to fix the time and places of holding courts in said districts.
Introduced by Mr. Coke, of Texas ..... 1142
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1142
Reported back with amendments ..... 1602
Considered ..... 1743
Further considered, amended, and passed by the Senate. 1759, 1760
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1829, 1830
Examined and signed ..... 1879, 1888
Approved by the President ..... 1944

S. No. 573—
To authorize payment of a balance of interest justly due to William Wheeler Hubbell on a sum found due in the Court of Claims for the use of 865,214 of his time and impact burning fuses in the late war by the naval service.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1174

S. No. 574—
To make full satisfaction of the actual loss and damage ascertained by the Court of Claims in favor of William Wheeler Hubbell for 528,661 of his percussion apparatus used in the late war by the military service.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1174

S. No. 575—
To amend pension laws, and punish claim agents for violations thereof.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1174

S. No. 576—
For the relief of Phoebe Meech.
Introduced by Mr. Butler, of South Carolina ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1174

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S. No. 577—
To correct the date of commission of certain officers of the Quartermaster's Department.
Introduced by Mr. Butler, of South Carolina ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1174

S. No. 578—
Granting a pension to Samuel B. Davis.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1174

S. No. 579—
To provide for the publication and distribution of the Congressional Record to depositaries of public documents.
Introduced by Mr. Teller, of Colorado ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1174

S. No. 580—
Relating to telegraphic communication between the United States and foreign countries.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1204
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1204

S. No. 581—
To authorize the Second Auditor of the Treasury to audit and allow the claim of Alexander Keeler, as the legal representative of Joseph B. Cady, late a soldier of Company G, Twenty-first Michigan Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1238

S. No. 582—
Granting a pension to John N. Snider.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1238

S. No. 583—
To authorize and direct the Secretary of War to convey, by deed, to the board of education of the district of Harper's Ferry, West Virginia, a lot of ground, (No. 2 in block B,) with the buildings thereon, for the use of the common school thereof.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of West Virginia ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1238
Reference changed to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1238

S. No. 584—
To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to allot lands in severalty to Indians.
Introduced by Mr. Paddock, of Nebraska ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1238

S. No. 585—
For the relief of J. H. Merrill.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1238

S. No. 586—
Relating to the engraving, printing, and issuing of national currency, United States notes, bonds, internal-revenue stamps, and all other Government issues.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1238

S. No. 587—
To survey the Austin-Topolovampo Pacific route.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 1238
Referred to the Committee on Railroads ..... 1238

S. No. 588—
To repeal paragraph 6, section 2238 of the Revised Statutes, and to substitute another therefor.
Introduced by Mr. Grover, of Oregon ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1273

S. No. 589—
To authorize the payment of customs duties in legal-tender notes.
Introduced by Mr. Hereford, of West Virginia ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1273

S. No. 590—
To establish a mail-route from Chapman, Merrick County, to Aurora, Hamilton County, in the State of Nebraska.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 1273

S. No. 591—
Granting a pension to Nicholas H. Kelly.
Introduced by Mr. Groome, of Maryland ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1273

S. No. 592—
For the relief of Redmond Tully.
Introduced by Mr. Groome, of Maryland ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1273

S. No. 593—
To repeal the provision authorizing the advancement of an officer of the Navy thirty numbers in rank for extraordinary heroism.
Introduced by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1273

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S. No. 594—
For the relief of Thomas Langton, of Dundee, Michigan.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1273
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1273
Reported back with amendment ..... 1861
Considered ..... 1951
Further amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 2271

S. No. 595—
To amend an act for the relief of Joseph B. Collins, approved March 3, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 1314
Read a second time and ordered to lie on the table ..... 1314
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1634, 1635
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1956, 1957
Examined and signed ..... 2010, 2014
Vetoed by the President ..... 2387
Veto message and bill referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2387

S. No. 596—
Providing for the permanent improvement of the navigation of the Mississippi River, and for the reclamation of the lowlands of the States bordering thereon, and for hygienic purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 1314
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1314

S. No. 597—
For the relief of Rev. Erastus Lathrop, of the State of Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 1314
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1314

S. No. 598—
For the relief of Edward L. Wilson.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 1314
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 1314

S. No. 599—
For the judicial investigation and adjustment of private land claims in the States of Louisiana, Arkansas, Missouri, Florida, and the States of Alabama and Mississippi south of the thirty-first degree of north latitude.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 1314
Referred to the Committee on Private Land Claims ..... 1314

S. No. 600—
To provide for ascertaining and settling private land claims in certain States and Territories.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 1314
Referred to the Committee on Private Land Claims ..... 1314

S. No. 601—
Authorizing the allowance for loss by leakage or casualty, of spirits withdrawn from distillery warehouses for exportation.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1314
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1314

S. No. 602—
For the relief of Thomas W. McAffrey.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 1351
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1351

S. No. 603—
To amend section 1846 of the Revised Statutes, concerning Territories.
Introduced by Mr. Slater, of Oregon ..... 1351
Referred to the Committee on Territories ..... 1351

S. No. 604—
For the relief of John A. Sutter.
Introduced by Mr. Farley, of California ..... 1351
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1351

S. No. 605—
To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to deposit certain funds in the United States Treasury in lieu of investment.
Reported by Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio, from the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1374
Recommitted to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1374
Reported back with amendments ..... 1506

S. No. 606—
To authorize the purchase by the Secretary of War of sites for forts and posts in Texas.
Introduced by Mr. Maxey, of Texas ..... 1374
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1374

S. No. 607—
Authorizing the Postmaster-General to purchase a site for a city post-office in Washington, District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Allison, of Iowa ..... 1374
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1374

S. No. 608—
For the relief of Drury Bynum.
Introduced by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas ..... 1374
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1374

S. No. 609—
Granting a pension to James E. Hargrove.
Introduced by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas ..... 1374
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1374

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S. No. 610—
Regulating the registration of marriages in the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1413
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia .... 1413

S. No. 611—
Authorizing the employment of an inspector of plumbing in and for the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1413
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia .... 1413

S. No. 612—
Authorizing the commissioners of the District of Columbia to extend the area for the taking up and impounding of domestic animals into the county of Washington.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 1413
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 1413

S. No. 613—
For the relief of Jacob D. Jones.
Introduced by Mr. Maxey, of Texas ..... 1413
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1413

S. No. 614—
For the relief of Alexander Swift & Co., partners, Alexander Swift & Co., and the Niles Works.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 1449
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1449

S. No. 615—
For the relief of Mrs. Martha Vaughn and Mrs. Louisa Jackman.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 1449
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1449

S. No. 616—
To promote the efficiency of the Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island ..... 1449
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1449

S. No. 617—
Granting an increase of pension to William H. Hale.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1465
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1465

S. No. 618—
For the relief of Herman Holman and Crawford Fairbanks.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1465
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1465

S. No. 619—
For the relief of certain actual settlers on the Kansas trust and diminished-reserve lands in the State of Kansas.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 1465
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1465

S. No. 620—
Granting a pension to Jacob Nix.
Introduced by Mr. Windom, of Minnesota ..... 1465
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1465

S. No. 621—
Authorizing the employment of the militia and the land and naval forces of the United States in certain cases, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 1506
Ordered to lie on the table ..... 1506
Considered ..... 1606–1610, 1659–1665, 1862–1867, 1887, 1911–1923, 1948–1950

S. No. 622—
Regulating intercourse with the subjects of the Chinese Empire visiting or residing in the United States, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Slater, of Oregon ..... 1507
Ordered to lie on the table ..... 1507
Considered and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 2258–2263

S. No. 623—
To provide for the construction and completion of certain transcontinental lines of railway, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 1507
Referred to the Committee on Railroads ..... 1507

S. No. 624—
To amend the laws relating to internal revenue.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 1536
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1536

S. No. 625—
For the relief of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank, of Paris, Texas.
Introduced by Mr. Maxey, of Texas ..... 1602
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1602
Reported back without amendment, and ordered to be printed ..... 1951
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1963
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2017
Examined and signed ..... 2058, 2059
Approved by the President ..... 2321

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S. No. 626—
For relief of the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal Company.
Introduced by Mr. Withers, of Virginia ..... 1602
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1602

S. No. 627—
For the relief of workmen employed in the construction of Poverty Island Light-house, Lake Michigan.
Introduced by Mr. Chandler, of Michigan ..... 1602
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1602

S. No. 628—
To enable the Secretary of the Interior to adjust the accounts of certain newspapers for the advertisement of the sale of the Kansas Indian lands.
Introduced by Mr. Coke, of Texas ..... 1602
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1602

S. No. 629—
For the relief of A. H. Von Leuttwitz.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1634
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1634

S. No. 630—
To authorize the National Academy of Sciences to become the trustee of funds to be applied in aid of scientific investigations.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1634
Referred to the Committee on the Library ..... 1634

S. No. 631—
Donating six condemned cannon and cannon balls to Post No. 66, Grand Army of the Republic, of Muncy, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1634
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1634

S. No. 632—
For the relief of James M. Wilbur.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 1634
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1634

S. No. 633—
For the relief of the State National Bank of Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Jonas, of Louisiana ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1651

S. No. 634—
Granting a pension to Thomas H. Saunders.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1651

S. No. 635—
Granting a pension to Emery Bowen.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1651

S. No. 636—
In relation to the election of Senators from New Hampshire.
Introduced by Mr. Bell, of New Hampshire ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections .... 1651

S. No. 637—
Granting an increase of pension to Lucien Kilbourn.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1651

S. No. 638—
For the relief of Lewis Johnson & Co.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Wisconsin ..... 1678
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1678

S. No. 639—
Granting a pension to John G. McDonald.
Introduced by Mr. Allison, of Iowa ..... 1678
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1678

S. No. 640—
To authorize the bonds of manufacturers of tobacco, snuff, and cigars, exporting same, to be canceled at the port of clearance.
Introduced by Mr. Johnston, of Virginia ..... 1678
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1678

S. No. 641—
To grant additional rights to homestead settlers within railroad limits in the States of Missouri and Arkansas.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Arkansas ..... 1678
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1678
Reported back with an amendment, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 1991
Referred to the House Committee on Public Lands ..... 2018
Reported back, considered, and passed by the House .. 2475, 2476
Examined and signed ..... 2468, 2477
Approved by the President ..... 2468

S. No. 642—
For the relief of A. C. Crawford.
Introduced by Mr. Bruce, of Mississippi ..... 1679
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1679

S. No. 643—
To amend sections 2493 and 2494 of the Revised Statutes of the United States relative to the importation of neat cattle into the United States for breeding purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Gordon, of Georgia ..... 1679
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture ..... 1679

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S. No. 644—
To authorize the Secretary of War to furnish condemned ordnance for the monument of Colonel Robert L. McCook, Ninth Ohio Volunteers, in Washington Park, in the City of Cincinnati, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio ..... 1715
Considered by unanimous consent, and passed by the Senate. 1715
Considered, and passed by the House ..... 1733
Examined and signed ..... 1756, 1778
Approved by the President ..... 1910

S. No. 645—
To authorize M. V. Nichols to establish and maintain a ferry across the Missouri River at Brulé City, in Dakota.
Introduced by Mr. Kirkwood, of Iowa ..... 1716
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1716

S. No. 646—
To provide for protection of attorneys doing business before the Patent Office and other bureaus of the Government.
Introduced by Mr. Rollins, of New Hampshire ..... 1716
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1716

S. No. 647—
For the relief of William Grosch.
Introduced by Mr. McPherson, of New Jersey ..... 1734
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1735

S. No. 648—
To enforce ninth article of treaty between United States and Cherokee Nation of Indians, proclaimed August 11, 1866.
Introduced by Mr. Ingalls, of Kansas ..... 1735
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1735

S. No. 649—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to make contracts for the recovery of money, property, the proceeds of the sales of property, &c., belonging to the United States, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Teller, of Colorado ..... 1735
Referred to Committee on Civil Service and Retrenchment. 1735

S. No. 650—
To remove the political disabilities of A. P. Bagby, of Texas.
Reported by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware, from the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1757
Considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 1889
Considered, and passed by the House ..... 2010
Examined and signed ..... 2058, 2059
Approved by the President ..... 2179

S. No. 651—
Providing for the erection of a lighthouse at Anclote Key, in Hernando County, Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1757
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1757

S. No. 652—
To appropriate money for the opening of the bar of Finholloway River, in the State of Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1757
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1757

S. No. 653—
To appropriate money for establishment of beacon-lights and fog-bells along the shores of Saint John's River, Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1757
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1757

S. No. 654—
To provide for the deepening of the channel at the mouth of the Saint John's River and the Volusia Bar at the head of Lake George; also the sea channel at Apalachicola, and of Tampa Bay and of the Suwanee River, and removing obstructions from the same; and for opening the channel inland from Fernandina to the Saint John's River, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1757
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1757

S. No. 655—
To amend section 2562 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the boundary-lines of the collection-district of Saint Marks, in the State of Florida, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1757
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1757

S. No. 656—
To amend section 2305 of the Revised Statutes, which allows service in Army, Navy, and Marine Corps to be deducted from the time required to perfect title to a homestead.
Introduced by Mr. Ingalls, of Kansas ..... 1757
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1758

S. No. 657—
Authorizing certain Cherokee reservees to institute and prosecute suits before the courts of the United States for claims on account of reservations of lands taken by them in States east of the Mississippi River under treaties of 1817, 1819, and prior treaties between United States and Cherokees.
Introduced by Mr. Ingalls, of Kansas ..... 1758
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1758

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S. No. 658—
To amend the act establishing the southern claims commission so as to extend the same to the Indian tribes.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Arkansas ..... 1758
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1758

S. No. 659—
Providing for a settlement among the North Carolina Cherokees in regard to their lands in the State of North Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Arkansas ..... 1758
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1758

S. No. 660—
To amend an act to provide for the sale of desert lands in certain States and Territories.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Colorado ..... 1758
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1758

S. No. 661—
To authorize the Secretary of War to use certain moneys appropriated by act of Congress approved March 4, 1879, "for the protection of the high sand-banks on the Chippewa River" in the completion and protection of improvements in and near the mouth of said Chippewa River.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Wisconsin ..... 1777
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1777

S. No. 662—
For the relief of William C. Spencer.
Introduced by Mr. Groome, of Maryland ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1807

S. No. 663—
Granting a pension to John J. Fritschy.
Introduced by Mr. Randolph, of New Jersey ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1807

S. No. 664—
For the relief of Lieutenant-Colonel Schuyler Hamilton, late United States Army.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1807

S. No. 665—
To prevent obstructions to pre-emption and homestead settlement of the public lands.
Introduced by Mr. Booth, of California ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1807

S. No. 666—
Relating to the public lands of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Jones, of Florida ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1807

S. No. 667—
To provide for the building of a marine hospital at the entrance of Cedar Key Harbor.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1807

S. No. 668—
Granting a pension to James J. Faught, late of Company D, Eighth Missouri Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 1807
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1807

S. No. 669—
To remove political disabilities of J. F. Harrison, of Virginia.
Reported by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware, from the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1861
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1888, 1889
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2018
Examined and signed ..... 2058, 2059
Approved by the President ..... 2179

S. No. 670—
To remove political disabilities of W. N. R. Beall, of Missouri.
Reported by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware, from the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1861
Considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1889
Title amended ..... 1889
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2018
Examined and signed ..... 2058, 2059
Approved by the President ..... 2179

S. No. 671—
To amend the act for enrolling and licensing ships or vessels to be employed in the coasting trade and fisheries, and for regulating the same, passed February 18, 1793.
Introduced by Mr. Kernan, of New York ..... 1861
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1861
Reported back with amendment in nature of a substitute .. 1990
Considered ..... 2021-2024
Further considered, amended, and passed by the Senate. 2059-2062
Title amended ..... 2062
Considered by the House ..... 2308-2311, 2332-2338, 2413-2416
Further considered, amended, and passed by the House. 2419, 2420
Title amended ..... 2420
House amendments amended and concurred in by Senate. 2430-2433
Amendment concurred in by the House ..... 2448
Examined and signed ..... 2435, 2450
Approved by the President ..... 2460

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S. No. 672—
Giving a pension to Abram F. Farrar.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1861
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1861

S. No. 673—
For the relief of soldiers and sailors becoming totally disabled in the service of the country.
Introduced by Mr. Kirkwood, of Iowa ..... 1861
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1861

S. No. 674—
For the benefit of the widow and children of General James Shields.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 1861
Considered and amended ..... 1944-1948
Further considered, amended, and passed by the Senate. 1950, 1951
Title amended ..... 1951
Considered by the House ..... 2010, 2307
Passed by the House ..... 2308
Examined and signed ..... 2355, 2369
Approved by the President ..... 2405

S. No. 675—
To provide office-rooms for the National Board of Health and for the publication of its reports and papers, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas ..... 1861
Referred to the select committee to investigate and report the best means of preventing the introduction and spread of epidemic diseases ..... 1861
Reported back with amendment in nature of a substitute .. 1909
Considered ..... 2196, 2197
Further amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 2256
Referred to the House Committee of the Whole ..... 2449
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2452, 2453
Examined and signed ..... 2467, 2473
Approved by the President ..... 2468

S. No. 676—
To amend class 2 of the general incorporation laws of the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Saulsbury, of Delaware ..... 1861
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1861

S. No. 677—
For the relief of E. Troisgros.
Introduced by Mr. Jonas, of Louisiana ..... 1861
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1861

S. No. 678—
Relating to vinegar factories established and operated prior to March 1, 1879.
Reported by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware, from the Committee on Finance ..... 1880
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1880
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1925
Examined and signed ..... 1943, 1948
Approved by the President ..... 2062

S. No. 679—
To provide for submitting improved methods of conveyance for the mails to governmental inspection and adoption in certain cases.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 1886
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads. 1886

S. No. 680—
Granting an increase of pension to H. Binnamon.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1886
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1886

S. No. 681—
For the relief of the estate of Henry Conard.
Reported by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut, from the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1886
Considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 1910
Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 2017
Reported back and ordered to be printed ..... 2330
Passed by the House ..... 2474
Examined and signed ..... 2468, 2474
Approved by the President ..... 2468

S. No. 682—
To establish a branch of the United States Land Office at Freeport, in Walton County, Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1886
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1886

S. No. 683—
To establish a life-saving and life-boat service at or near Cape San Blas, Calhoun County, Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1886
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1886

S. No. 684—
Fixing the rate of interest upon arrearages of general taxes and assessments for special improvements now due to the District of Columbia, and for a revision of assessments for special improvements, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Rollins, of New Hampshire ..... 1909
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ... 1909

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S. No. 685—
To change the day for the election of Representatives and Delegates to the Congress of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Houston, of Alabama ..... 1909
Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections ... 1909

S. No. 686—
For the relief of Thomas Kearny, late collector of customs for the district of Corpus Christi.
Introduced by Mr. Coke, of Texas ..... 1909
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1909

S. No. 687—
For the relief of C. Bohn.
Introduced by Mr. Hereford, of West Virginia ..... 1944
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1944

S. No. 688—
To provide for the appointment of a marshal for the middle district of Alabama and a district attorney for the northern district of Alabama.
Introduced by Mr. Morgan, of Alabama ..... 1944
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1944

S. No. 689—
For the relief of Charles Collins.
Introduced by Mr. Groome, of Maryland ..... 1951
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads. 1951

S. No. 690—
For the relief of George W. Maher.
Introduced by Mr. Groome, of Maryland ..... 1951
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1951

S. No. 691—
For the relief of Jared Gardner.
Introduced by Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio ..... 1962
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 1962

S. No. 692—
For the relief of Robert A. McMurray.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1962
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1962

S. No. 693—
For the relief of William Murray.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1962
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1962

S. No. 694—
For the relief of J. W. Miller.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 1962
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1962

S. No. 695—
For the relief of Michael Granery, Nicholas Wax, and Moliere Lange.
Introduced by Mr. Jonas, of Louisiana ..... 1962
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1962

S. No. 696—
For the relief of William Nephew King, jr.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Georgia ..... 1991
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1991
Reported back without recommendation ..... 2099
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 2287
Referred to the House Committee on Naval Affairs .... 2331, 2332
Reported back, and passed by the House ..... 2399
Examined and signed ..... 2401-2417
Approved by the President ..... 2435

S. No. 697—
To establish additional mail-routes in the State of Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1991
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads. 1991
Reported back, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1992
Title amended ..... 1992
Referred to the House Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 2155
Reported back with amendments ..... 2180
Considered, title amended, and passed by the House ..... 2180
Referred to Senate Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads. 2197
Reported back amended, and amendment concurred in by the Senate ..... 2254
House concurs in Senate amendment ..... 2280
Examined and signed ..... 2293, 2296
Approved by the President ..... 2405

S. No. 698—
For the relief of Richard Hawley & Sons.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 1991
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 1991

S. No. 699—
To provide a naval peace establishment, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. McPherson, of New Jersey ..... 2020
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 2020

S. No. 700—
For the relief of such citizens of the Indian nations and tribes of the Indian Territory as lost property and effects on account of the war of the rebellion.
Introduced by Mr. Walker, of Arkansas ..... 2020
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 2020

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S. No. 701—
For the relief of settlers on the public lands of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Booth, of California ..... 2059
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2059

S. No. 702—
Granting a pension to Mary A. Tindall.
Introduced by Mr. McMillan, of Minnesota ..... 2059
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 2059

S. No. 703—
Fixing the time of the next annual meeting of Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas ..... 2099
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2099

S. No. 704—
To explain the Revised Statutes relative to duties on imported merchandise.
Introduced by Mr. McPherson, of New Jersey ..... 2099
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 2099

S. No. 705—
Relating to the hailing port of vessels owned in the United States.
Introduced by Mr. McPherson, of New Jersey ..... 2099
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 2099

S. No. 706—
To amend an act for the relief of Joseph B. Collins, approved March 3, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 2099
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2099
Reported back ..... 2293
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 2294
Referred to the House Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2450

S. No. 707—
For the relief of William W. Ross.
Introduced by Mr. Slater, of Oregon ..... 2197
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 2197

S. No. 708—
To authorize the State of Illinois to commence and prosecute suits against the United States in the Supreme Court of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of Illinois ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2254

S. No. 709—
For the relief of E. J. Gurley.
Introduced by Mr. Coke, of Texas ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 2254

S. No. 710—
For the relief of Henry P. Seymour, W. A. Frazer, Alvan N. Sabin, and the heirs of Percy N. Leggett, late supernumerary second lieutenant of the Fifth Michigan Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Chandler, of Michigan ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2254

S. No. 711—
Amending the charter of the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, and for other purposes.
Reported from the Select Committee on the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas ..... 2254

S. No. 712—
Providing for filling vacancies in the office of Chief of Engineers, United States Army.
Reported from the Committee on Military Affairs, by Mr. Maxey, of Texas ..... 2257
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 2257
Passed by the House ..... 2417
Examined and signed ..... 2413, 2424
Approved by the President ..... 2435

S. No. 713—
To provide ocean mail steamship service between the United States and South America.
Introduced by Mr. Kellogg, of Louisiana ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 2254

S. No. 714—
For the relief of William H. Barnhart.
Introduced by Mr. Grover, of Oregon ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 2254

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S. No. 715—
For the relief of N. Boyden.
Introduced by Mr. Ransom, of North Carolina ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Claims ..... 2254

S. No. 716—
To provide for the conveyance of the low grounds in the city of Washington, under the provisions of the act of Congress, chapter 96, approved May 7, 1822.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2286
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 2286
Reported back and passed by the Senate ..... 2288
Passed by the House ..... 2450
Examined and signed ..... 2453, 2455
Approved by the President ..... 2460

S. No. 717—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to repair the United States barracks and arsenal at Austin, Texas, and making an appropriation for the same.
Introduced by Mr. Maxey, of Texas ..... 2294
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2294

S. No. 718—
To repeal section 3 of chapter 225, Statutes at Large, approved July 24, 1876.
Introduced by Mr. Saunders, of Nebraska ..... 2294
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2294

S. No. 719—
To change the name of ferry-boat James Fisk, jr., to Passaic.
Introduced by Mr. Ransom, of North Carolina ..... 2315
Passed by the Senate ..... 2315
Passed by the House ..... 2416
Examined and signed ..... 2413, 2424
Approved by the President ..... 2435

S. No. 720—
To amend section 2763 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2341
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 2341

S. No. 721—
To amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the appointment of a Mississippi River commission for the improvement of said river from the head of the passes near its mouth to its headwaters," approved June —, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 2341
Referred to the Committee on the Improvement of the Mississippi River and its Tributaries ..... 2341

S. No. 722—
Granting a pension to Sarah Dayton.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2387
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 2387

S. No. 723—
Granting a pension to H. R. Hershberger.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2387
Referred to the Committee on Pensions ..... 2387

S. No. 724—
Referring the claim of John W. Robinson, of Hindes County, Mississippi, to the Court of Claims.
Introduced by Mr. Bruce, of Mississippi ..... 2415
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2415

S. No. 725—
To incorporate the Columbia Historical Society.
Introduced by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland ..... 2430
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S. No. 726—
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Introduced by Mr. Windom, of Minnesota ..... 2436
Considered and indefinitely postponed ..... 2436, 2437

S. No. 727—
To authorize and promote international inquiry and conference as to the practicability of extending the channels of the Bay of Fundy and of the Mississippi River to and through Hudson River and to and through Hudson's Bay.
Introduced by Mr. Blair, of New Hampshire ..... 2468
Referred to the Committee on Transportation Routes to the Seaboard ..... 2468

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To promote the efficiency of the Marine Hospital service.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 17
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S. R. No. 2—
To provide for the enforcement of the eight-hour law.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania ..... 17
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S. R. No. 3—
To authorize the Secretary of War to sell or lease to the Port Huron and Northwestern Railway Company a portion of the Fort Gratiot military reserve, and to authorize the city of Port Huron to grant to said railway company the right of way through Pine Grove Park.
Introduced by Mr. Ferry, of Michigan ..... 17
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S. R. No. 4—
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. McMillan, of Minnesota ..... 35
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 35

S. R. No. 5—
In relation to records, papers, and documents of mixed international tribunals on file in the Department of State.
Introduced by Mr. Thurman, of Ohio ..... 35
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 35
Reported back with amendment by way of a substitute ..... 2020
Passed by the Senate, title amended ..... 2020
Passed by the House ..... 2308
Examined and signed ..... 2355, 2369
Approved by the President ..... 2405

S. R. No. 6—
Accepting from Professor Edward Fontaine, of the State of Louisiana, certain maps, drawings, and explanations of the same.
Introduced by Mr. Lamar, of Mississippi ..... 35
Referred to the Committee on the Improvement of the Mississippi River and its Tributaries ..... 35
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Reported back with amendment, and passed by Senate ..... 1962
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2018, 2019
Examined and signed ..... 2058, 2059
Approved by the President ..... 2179

S. R. No. 7—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay over to the State of Texas the balance remaining of the fund appropriated by the acts of September 9, 1850, and February 28, 1855, for the payment of the creditors of the late republic of Texas.
Introduced by Mr. Coke, of Texas ..... 46
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 46

S. R. No. 8—
Correcting the military record of Wickliffe Cooper, deceased, late major Seventh Cavalry, brevet-colonel United States Army.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 63
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 63

S. R. No. 9—
Requesting Drs. Bemiss and Cochran and Engineer Hardie to complete their reports upon the yellow-fever epidemic of 1878, for the use of Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 72
Referred to the Select Committee to Investigate and Report the Best Means of Preventing the Introduction and Spread of Epidemic Diseases ..... 72

S. R. No. 10—
For the relief of H. T. Burrows.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 72
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 72

S. R. No. 11—
Authorizing Commodore J. W. A. Nicholson, United States Navy, to accept the grand cross of naval merit from the King of Spain.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 72
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 72

S. R. No. 12—
To authorize Francis V. Green, United States Army, to accept certain decorations from the Emperor of Russia.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania ..... 76
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 76

S. R. No. 13—
To provide for the publication of an Army and Navy register, to include the officers and enlisted men employed in the Mexican war and the official reports of the several engagements with the enemy in said war.
Introduced by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas ..... 76
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 76

S. R. No. 14—
For the relief of John C. Landreau.
Introduced by Mr. Eaton, of Connecticut ..... 128
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S. R. No. 15—
Requiring the assembling of a court of inquiry in the case of Colonel Thomas Worthington.
Introduced by Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio ..... 129
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 129
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S. R. No. 16—
Providing for a treaty with the Republic of Mexico.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 162
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 162

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S. R. No. 17—
Authorizing the printing of a portrait of the late Joseph Henry to accompany the memorial volume heretofore ordered.
Introduced by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island ..... 272
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 272
Reported back, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 311
Considered and passed by the House ..... 387
Examined and signed ..... 435, 454
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S. R. No. 18—
To inquire into and define the acts of July 27, 1866, and June 28, 1870, granting lands to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company of California.
Introduced by Mr. Booth, of California ..... 287
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 287

S. R. No. 19—
To provide for the publication and distribution of a supplement to the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Wallace, of Pennsylvania ..... 341
Referred to the Committee on the Revision of the Laws ..... 341
Reported back and ordered to be printed ..... 503
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 974, 975
Referred to House Committee on the Revision of the Laws ..... 1194

S. R. No. 20—
Relating to the organization of the National Board of Health.
Reported by Mr. Garland, of Arkansas, from the Select Committee to Investigate and Report the Best Means of Preventing the Introduction and Spread of Epidemic Diseases ..... 372
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 372
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Examined and signed ..... 502, 503
Approved by the President ..... 593

S. R. No. 21—
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution in relation to appropriations.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 412
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 412

S. R. No. 22—
*In re* claim of William B. Isaacs & Co.
Introduced by Mr. Withers, of Virginia ..... 503
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 503

S. R. No. 23—
Authorizing the purchase of the pictures known as the portraits of Webster and Ashburton, painted by Healy while the Ashburton treaty was being negotiated.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 901
Referred to the Committee on the Library ..... 901

S. R. No. 24—
To provide for sixty days' pay to officers and employés of the United States Senate removed from office since the 4th day of March, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Morgan, of Alabama ..... 980
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 980

S. R. No. 25—
Authorizing the Public Printer to bind in cloth two volumes of Sailing Directions for the United States Hydrographic Office.
Introduced by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland ..... 1043
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1043
Reported back favorably, and passed by the Senate ..... 1071
Referred to the House Committee on Printing ..... 1161
Reported back, and passed by the House ..... 1795
Examined and signed ..... 1809, 1834
Approved by the President ..... 1910

S. R. No. 26—
To transfer the arsenal property in the city of Charleston, South Carolina, to the trustees of the Holy Communion Church Institute for use and accommodation of said school.
Introduced by Mr. Butler, of South Carolina ..... 1071
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1071
Reported back with an amendment ..... 1272

S. R. No. 27—
Authorizing promotions in the Army.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1174

S. R. No. 28—
To apply the amount appropriated by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1877, to pay certain mail contractors.
Introduced by Mr. Williams, of Kentucky ..... 1174
Referred to the Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 1174

S. R. No. 29—
Providing for a treaty of reciprocity and commerce with the Republic of France.
Introduced by Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri ..... 1351
Ordered to lie on the table, and be printed ..... 1351

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S. R. No. 30—
For the relief of D. C. W. Brink, bearer of dispatches from the United States minister at Mexico in 1869.
Introduced by Mr. Cameron, of Wisconsin ..... 1351
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1351
Reported back without amendment ..... 1886
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1910
Title amended ..... 1910
Passed by the House ..... 2018
Examined and signed ..... 2058, 2059
Approved by the President ..... 2179

S. R. No. 31—
For the relief of Hugh Worthington.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 1413
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1413

S. R. No. 32—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to issue an American register to the brig Katie.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana ..... 1449
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1450

S. R. No. 33—
To authorize the President of the United States to return the Twiggs swords to Mrs. Rowena Guedalla, of the State of Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Jonas, of Louisiana ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1651

S. R. No. 34—
Subjecting the Klamath River Indian reservation, in the State of California, to entry as other public lands in said State.
Introduced by Mr. Farley, of California ..... 1651
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1651

S. R. No. 35—
For the restoration of the books of the Beaufort Library, of South Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. Butler, of South Carolina ..... 1679
Referred to the Committee on the Library ..... 1679

S. R. No. 36—
To pay Professor Peter Collier for services in connection with sugar duties.
Introduced by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware ..... 1909
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 1909

S. R. No. 37—
Providing for the education of the Indian children at the Normal Institute, Hampton, Virginia.
Introduced by Mr. Call, of Florida ..... 1944
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1944

S. R. No. 38—
To pay Professor Peter Collier for his services as chemist in the prosecution of the evasions of the duties on sugar.
Reported from the Committee on Finance by Mr. Bayard, of Delaware ..... 2254
Passed by the Senate ..... 2254
Considered by the House ..... 2449, 2450
Passed by the House ..... 2474
Examined and signed ..... 2468, 2474
Approved by the President ..... 2468

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S. R. No. 39—
In relation to committee clerks, pages, and other employés of the Senate and House of Representatives.
Introduced by Mr. Beck, of Kentucky ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 2254
Reported back with amendments ..... 2285
Considered and amended ..... 2296, 2300, 2315, 2321, 2328, 2343, 2352, 2354, 2355, 2372, 2374
Passed by the Senate, title amended ..... 2374
Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations ..... 2417
Reported back with amendments ..... 2420
Passed by the House ..... 2420
Senate disagrees to amendments of the House ..... 2416
Committee of conference appointed ..... 2416
Laid on the table by the House ..... 2444

S. R. No. 40—
Authorizing the issue of certain guns and artillery equipments to the State of North Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. Vance, of North Carolina ..... 2254
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2254

S. R. No. 41—
Authorizing Rear-Admiral John J. Almy, United States Navy, to accept a decoration from the King of Hawaiian Islands.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2286
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 2286

S. R. No. 42—
To provide for the speedy payment of the workingmen of the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Logan, of Illinois ..... 2286
Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 2295

S. R. No. 43—
In relation to the construction of a canal across the Isthmus of Darien by European powers.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2312
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 2312

S. R. No. 44—
Appointing a joint committee of the two Houses of Congress to take into consideration what changes, if any, ought to be made in the mode of guarding or collecting the revenue, and appropriating the money so collected.
Reported from the Committee on Finance by Mr. Beck, of Kentucky ..... 2343
Passed by the Senate ..... 2343
Referred to the House Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2399
Reference reconsidered, and committee discharged ..... 2417
Considered ..... 2450

S. R. No. 45—
Authorizing the restoration of Thomas H. Lawrence to the revenue marine.
Introduced by Mr. Conkling, of New York ..... 2341
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 2341

S. R. No. 46—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to construct at the Washington and Norfolk navy-yards the steam vessel and refrigerating machine recommended by the National Board of Health, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Tennessee ..... 2401
Placed on the Calendar and printed ..... 2402
Postponed indefinitely ..... 2435

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

A concurrent resolution—
That the report of the observations of the transit of Venus, under the direction of the Navy Department in December, 1874, be printed; and that 3,500 additional copies be printed, of which 1,000 shall be for the use of the Senate, 2,000 shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, and 500 copies for the use of the Navy Department: *Provided*, That all illustrations for the said volume shall be paid for from the appropriation already made for that purpose, as so far the same shall be available.
Introduced by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island ..... 46
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 46
Reported back without amendment, and agreed to ..... 411

A concurrent resolution—
That the Committees on Agriculture of the respective Houses be, and they are hereby, instructed to consider generally the subject of agriculture, and report by bill or otherwise what can or ought to be done by the General Government to better advance, encourage, and foster agricultural interests, and that the said committees shall have the power to send for persons and papers.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of West Virginia ..... 64
Printed and referred to the Committee on Agriculture ..... 64

A concurrent resolution—
That a commission, to be composed of three Senators and four members of the House of Representatives, be appointed to devise a plan for the reorganization of the Department of Agriculture with a view of extending its jurisdiction and increasing its efficiency; said commission to have power to sit during the recess, and to send for persons and papers, and report by bill or otherwise at the regular session.
Introduced by Mr. Paddock, of Nebraska ..... 189
Modified—equalizing the representation on the committee—and referred to the Committee on Agriculture ..... 189

A concurrent resolution—
That 250 additional copies of the observations of the transit of Venus, made under the direction of the Navy Department in December, 1874, be printed for the use of the Naval Observatory.
Reported by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island, from the Committee on Printing ..... 503
Considered by unanimous consent and agreed to by the Senate ..... 503
Referred to the House Committee on Printing ..... 1957
Reported back, and adopted by the House ..... 2249

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A concurrent resolution—
That there shall be printed as issued 5,000 copies of each of the quarto reports and accompanying topographical and geological atlas sheets of the United States geological surveys west of the one hundredth meridian, under the Engineer Bureau of the War Department, and in charge of First Lieutenant George M. Wheeler, Corps of Engineers.
Introduced by Mr. Groome, of Maryland ..... 504
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 504

A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed at the Government Printing Office 3,000 copies of volume 2 of the geological series of the geographical and geological survey of the Rocky Mountain region, entitled "The Geology of the Henry Mountain," with the necessary illustrations and charts—the illustrations and charts to be made by the Public Printer under the direction of the Joint Committeee on Public Printing.
Introduced by Mr. Hereford, of West Virginia ..... 1507
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1507

A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed at the Government Printing Office 2,000 copies of volume 4 of the geological series of the report of the geographical and geological survey of the Rocky Mountain region, entitled "Geology of the Black Hills of Dakota," with the necessary illustrations and charts—the illustrations and charts to be made by the Public Printer under the direction of the Joint Committee on Public Printing.
Introduced by Mr. Hereford, of West Virginia ..... 1507
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1507
Reported back, and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2195
Adopted by the House ..... 2307

A concurrent resolution—
That the Public Printer be, and he is hereby, directed to deliver to the Secretary of the Interior 10 copies of the Colonial Charters and Constitutions of the United States from those remaining in his possession.
Reported from the Committee on Printing by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland ..... 1739
Considered and agreed to by the Senate ..... 1739
Referred to the House Committee on Printing ..... 1957
Reported back, and adopted by the House ..... 2249

A concurrent resolution—
That the Public Printer is hereby authorized to bind in cloth 3,000 copies of the Compilation of the Internal-Revenue Laws and 3,500 copies of the Internal-Revenue Manual for the use of the Treasury Department.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 1923
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1923
Reported back, and postponed indefinitely ..... 2286

A concurrent resolution—
That 12,000 extra copies of the report and proceedings of the Paris monetary conference held in August last be printed and bound in cloth, of which number 6,000 copies shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, 3,000 copies for the use of the Senate, and 3,000 for the use of the Department of State.
Introduced by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland ..... 2243
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 2243
Reported back, and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2254
Adopted by the House ..... 2307

A concurrent resolution—
That 2,000 copies of the report of the United States Commission on Fish and Fisheries be printed and bound for distribution under direction of the commissioner.
Introduced by Mr. Burnside, of Rhode Island ..... 2343
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 2343
Reported back, and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2369
Recalled from the House ..... 2405
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 2413
Postponed indefinitely ..... 2413

A concurrent resolution—
That 2,000 additional copies of the report of the United States Commissioner on Fish and Fisheries prior to 1877, embracing four volumes, be printed and bound for distribution under direction of the commissioner.
Reported from the Committee on Printing by Mr. Anthony, of Rhode Island ..... 2413
Agreed to by the Senate ..... 2413
Considered and non-concurred in by the House ..... 2449

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A concurrent resolution—
That a joint committee, composed of five Senators and seven Representatives, be appointed, in such manner as each House may determine, to examine and report at an early day of the next December session of this Congress what changes, if any, ought to be made in the mode of guarding and collecting the revenue, either from customs or internal taxation, or in the management of the various Departments and bureaus of the Government with a view to efficiency in service and economy in appropriations of the public money; said committee shall report whether changes from permanent to annual appropriations would be advantageous or otherwise, in whole or in part; it shall have power to sit during the recess, to examine witnesses, send for persons and papers, administer oaths, appoint sub-committees, and visit such places as will enable it to obtain such information as it may desire; and the expenses of this committee shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the two Houses in the proportion of the number of the members of each.
Introduced by Mr. Beck, of Kentucky ..... 2295
Considered and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance ..... 2312–2315
Joint resolution (S. R. No. 44) reported in lieu thereof ... 2343

A concurrent resolution—
That the complete remonetization of silver, its full restoration as a money metal, and its free coinage by the mints of the United States are demanded alike by the dictates of justice and wise statesmanship.
Introduced by Mr. Vest, of Missouri ..... 2312
Ordered to lie on the table and be printed ..... 2312
Considered ..... 2343, 2369–2372
Substitute accepted and considered ..... 2402–2404
Referred to the Committee on Finance ..... 2430

A concurrent resolution—
That the Committee on Public Lands of the Senate and the Committee on Public Lands of the House be each authorized to appoint a sub-committee, to consist of not exceeding three members of said committees, to act in aid of the commission authorized under the "act of March 3, 1879, charged with the duty of codifying the laws relating to the survey and disposition of the public domain, and provide for the classification and sale of the public lands and other duties therewith connected," with power to sit in vacation; and any expenses incurred in the discharge of said duties shall be paid out of the contingent funds of the Senate and House respectively, upon the certificate of the chairmen of said committees.
Introduced by Mr. McDonald, of Indiana ..... 2340
Considered and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2340–2341
Considered by the House ..... 2448

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That the Committee on Mines and Mining of the Senate and the Committee on Mines and Mining of the House be each authorized to appoint a sub-committee to consist of not exceeding three members of said committees, to act in aid of the commission authorized under the "act of March 3, 1879, charged with the duty of codifying the laws relating to the survey and disposition of the public domain, and provide for the classification and sale of the public lands, and other duties therewith connected;" and any expenses incurred in the discharge of said duties shall be paid out of the contingent funds of the Senate and House respectively upon the certificate of the chairmen of said committees.
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Introduced by Mr. King, of Louisiana ..... 620
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Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 620
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Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 620
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Introduced by Mr. Garfield, of Ohio ..... 620
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To provide for assessing and collecting a graduated tax on incomes.
Introduced by Mr. Ewing, of Ohio ..... 620
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H. R. No. 539—
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Introduced by Mr. Neal, of Ohio ..... 621
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To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to place upon the pension-roll the name of Mary Blowers.
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Introduced by Mr. Neal, of Ohio ..... 621
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For the relief of the Enterprise Fire and Marine Insurance Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio.
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H. R. No. 563—
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Granting an increase of pension to Robert Cary.
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Granting a pension to John M. Stuter, bugler of Company I, Fourth Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
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H. R. No. 574—
Granting a pension to Joseph Manner, late private Company —, Kansas Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
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H. R. No. 575—
For the relief of John C. Douglass, of Allen County, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 622

H. R. No. 576—
To relieve Solomon Robinault, late private Company G, Forty-ninth Ohio Volunteer Infantry, from the charge of desertion.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
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Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
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For the relief of Wilson Pontius.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
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Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 622
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To construe and define "An act to cede to the State of Ohio the unsold lands in the Virginia military district in said State," approved February 18, 1871.
Introduced by Mr. Dickey, of Ohio ..... 622
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Granting an increase of pension to Simon J. Fought.
Introduced by Mr. Converse, of Ohio ..... 622
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To provide for circuit and district courts of the United States at Columbus, Ohio, and transferring certain counties from the northern to the southern district in said State.
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Introduced by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky ..... 622
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Introduced by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky ..... 622
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For the relief of D. L. Adair, of Hancock County, Kentucky.
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H. R. No. 597—
To put salts of quinine and sulphate of quinine on the free list.
Introduced by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky ..... 622
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H. R. No. 598—
For the improvement of the Big Sandy River, and appropriating money for said purpose.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 622
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H. R. No. 599—
For the purchase of suitable grounds in the city of Maysville, in the State of Kentucky, and the erection thereon of a public building for post-office, United States collector's office, United States commissioner's office, and for the use of other United States officers in said city, and appropriating money for said purpose.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 622
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Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 622
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H. R. No. 601—
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H. R. No. 602—
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H. R. No. 605—
To provide for the further distribution of the moneys received under the Geneva award.
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H. R. No. 606—
For the relief of James Clark Smith.
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H. R. No. 607—
To provide for the construction of a public building at the city of Paducah, State of Kentucky.
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Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 623
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Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 623
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H. R. No. 611—
To compensate Samuel E. Ogden, of the steamers Des Arc and Emma No. 2, for carrying the United States mail from Memphis, Tennessee, to Duvall's Bluff, Arkansas, and intermediate places, twice a week, from the 27th of November, 1863, to the 31st of December, 1864, under peremptory orders of the officers of the United States Army then in command at the post of Memphis.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 623
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H. R. No. 612—
For the relief of John Talor & Son, of Newport, Kentucky.
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H. R. No. 613—
For the relief of Ashbrook & Tucker, of Covington, Kentucky.
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H. R. No. 614—
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For the relief of Henry Marcotte.
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H. R. No. 616—
To regulate commerce among the States.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 623
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H. R. No. 617—
To enable certain persons to sue in United States courts without payment of or security for costs.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 623
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Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 623
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H. R. No. 624—
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Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 623
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Introduced by Mr. Thomas Turner, of Kentucky ..... 623
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H. R. No. 627—
To authorize producers of tobacco to sell not exceeding one hundred dollars' worth of leaf-tobacco of each year's production without license or tax.
Introduced by Mr. Thomas Turner, of Kentucky ..... 623
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To levy and collect a tax on incomes.
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To reimburse the several States for interest paid on war loans, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 628

H. R. No. 766—
For the relief of William T. Pate and Silas Q. Howe, of Patriot, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 767—
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Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 628

H. R. No. 768—
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Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 628

H. R. No. 769—
To authorize the States of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, respectively, to commence and prosecute suits against the United States in the Supreme Court of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 770—
For the relief of Sasser Sullivan, of Pike County, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 628

H. R. No. 771—
To authorize the local taxation of the legal-tender Treasury notes of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 628

H. R. No. 772—
To amend section 1 of the act entitled "An act to determine the jurisdiction of circuit courts of the United States, and to regulate the removal of causes from State courts, and for other purposes."
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 773—
For the relief of John Burke, of Knox County, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 628

H. R. No. 774—
To equalize the bounties of soldiers who served in the late war for the Union.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 775—
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Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 776—
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Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 777—
For the relief of J. C. Birdsell.
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H. R. No. 778—
For the relief of Betsy Fry, widow of Alfred Fry.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 779—
For the relief of James W. Timmons.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 628

H. R. No. 780—
To equalize the bounties of soldiers who served in the late war for the Union.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 781—
For the relief of discharged United States soldiers whose final discharge papers have been lost or destroyed.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 782—
For the relief of Peter Sconden, late a corporal of Company K, Twelfth Indiana Volunteer Cavalry, a resident of White County, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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To amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act to amend an act relating to soldiers and sailors' homesteads."
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H. R. No. 784—
For the relief of Erastus Gay, late a musician in the regimental band of the Fifth Regiment United States Infantry.
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H. R. No. 785—
For the relief of Ann N. Morrison.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 786—
Granting a pension to Warren McNary, of Saint Joseph County, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 787—
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Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 628

H. R. No. 788—
For the relief of James J. Ferris.
Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 789—
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Introduced by Mr. Calkins, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 791—
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H. R. No. 792—
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H. R. No. 794—
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Introduced by Mr. Colerick, of Indiana ..... 628
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H. R. No. 795—
To reinstate the name of Cornelius Fitzgerald on the pension-roll.
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H. R. No. 796—
For the relief of Andrew J. Mifford.
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H. R. No. 797—
To reimburse B. N. Ewing, postmaster at Minier, Illinois, for money stolen from him on April 1, 1879.
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To equalize the bounties of soldiers who served in the late war for the Union.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 629
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H. R. No. 799—
Granting a pension to Richard P. Taylor, of Westville, Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Illinois ..... 629
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H. R. No. 800—
Granting a pension to John Hawkins.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Illinois ..... 629
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H. R. No. 801—
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Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Illinois ..... 629
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H. R. No. 803—
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H. R. No. 804—
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Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Illinois ..... 629
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H. R. No. 805—
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To provide for the erection of a public post-office building in the city of Quincy, in the State of Illinois, and for other purposes.
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H. R. No. 812—
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H. R. No. 822—
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H. R. No. 834—
For the relief of William Randall.
Introduced by Mr. Townshend, of Illinois ..... 630
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For the relief of Mrs. Mary J. Eddy.
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To empower the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to revise, correct, or annul special assessments upon the written application of any person whose real property in said District has been assessed, providing for an appeal to the supreme court of the District of Columbia from the action of the commissioners in respect to such application by any person feeling aggrieved thereby, and for other purposes.
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H. R. No. 1154—
To reduce the price of public lands within railroad limits.
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H. R. No. 1155—
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H. R. No. 1165—
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For the relief of George W. Hard.
Introduced by Mr. Dunnell, of Minnesota ..... 641
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Introduced by Mr. Dunnell, of Minnesota ..... 641
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To prohibit contracts for servile labor.
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For the relief William L. Adams.
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For the relief of Riley, Hardin & Taylor.
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For the relief of L. J. Cecil and William Billips.
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Granting a pension to Christian H. Stienmeier.
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H. R. No. 1189—
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For the relief of John B. Lute.
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For the relief of S. D. Houston.
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Granting a pension to Dennis Smith.
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For the reappointment of George W. Smith, of Kansas, second lieutenant Ninth Cavalry, late captain Eighteenth Infantry, to be captain Eighteenth Infantry, with his relative rank and grade in the Army from August 5, 1861, provided he is not to receive any pay or allowances for the time he was out of the military service, (June 15, 1866, to August 6, 1873.)
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For the relief of David Allen.
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Authorizing the settlement of the claims of certain citizens of Kansas named therein.
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For the relief of J. R. Mills and R. P. Hayden, late of Company G, Twentieth Regiment Kentucky Volunteers.
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To provide for the improvement of the Arkansas River between Fort Smith and Wichita, Kansas.
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For the relief of Christopher Weidner.
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For the relief of O. D. Lemert.
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For the relief of John S. Friend.
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To authorize and direct the Secretary of War to convey by deed to the board of education of the district of Harper's Ferry, West Virginia, a lot of ground (No. 2, in block B) with the buildings thereon, for the use of the common schools thereof.
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For the relief of the Methodist church at Raleigh Court House, in Raleigh County, West Virginia.
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H. R. No. 1251—
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For the relief of William Haydon.
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To establish a branch mint of the United States at Omaha, in the State of Nebraska.
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To provide for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at Decatur, Nebraska.
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To amend section 2326 of the Revised Statutes, relating to suits at law affecting the title of mining claims.
Introduced by Mr. Belford, of Colorado ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1281—
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H. R. No. 1282—
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Introduced by Mr. Belford, of Colorado ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1283—
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Introduced by Mr. Belford, of Colorado ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1284—
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H. R. No. 1285—
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For the relief of Thomas Newman.
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H. R. No. 1287—
To authorize the Secretary of War to relinquish and turn over to the Interior Department certain parts of the Camp Douglas military reservation, in the Territory of Utah.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Utah ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1288—
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Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Utah ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1289—
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Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Utah ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1290—
For the admission of the State of Washington into the Union.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1291—
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Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1292—
For the payment of expenses incurred by the people of Yakima County, Washington Territory, in defending themselves against Indian hostilities.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 644
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H. R. No. 1293—
To provide for ascertaining and reporting the expenses incurred by the Territories of Washington and Idaho and the people thereof in defending themselves from attacks and hostilities of the Nez Percé Indians in the year 1877, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 645

H. R. No. 1294—
For the construction of a military telegraph between Pomeroy and Fort Colville, in Washington Territory, and a connecting line to Camp Cour d'Alene, in Idaho Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 645

H. R. No. 1295—
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H. R. No. 1297—
For the relief of settlers on school lands in Washington Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1298—
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Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 645

H. R. No. 1299—
For the relief of F. Prosh and T. F. McElroy, of Washington Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1300—
For the relief of George A. Miller.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 645

H. R. No. 1301—
For the relief of John L. Butler, for carrying the mails in Washington Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1302—
For the relief of John G. Parker, for carrying United States mails in Washington Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1303—
For the relief of A. D. Fisher, of Washington Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1305—
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Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1306—
To establish an assay office at Deadwood, in the Territory of Dakota.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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To establish a land district in the Territory of Dakota and to locate the office at Grand Forks.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1308—
For the relief of settlers on the old Sioux reservation in Grant County, Territory of Dakota.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1309—
To authorize the resurvey of lands where the surveys are fraudulent, erroneous, or obliterated, and to legalize certain surveys.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1310—
To permit any person, except when such person may have sold or assigned a "claim" upon which he has filed his declaration of intention, to use his right of pre-emption on different tracts of land until he shall have made final proof and payment, and to repeal section 2261 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 645

H. R. No. 1313—
To authorize the Chicago, Milwaukee, and Saint Paul Railway Company to extend its road through the Territory of Dakota.
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Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 645

H. R. No. 1314—
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Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 645
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For the relief of Nicholas White.
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For the relief of William B. Hughes, or his assigns.
Introduced by Mr. Campbell, of Arizona ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1317—
For the relief of William B. Hooper & Co., or their assigns.
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H. R. No. 1318—
For the relief of E. N. Fish & Co., or their assigns.
Introduced by Mr. Campbell, of Arizona ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1319—
To reorganize the judicial system of the Territory of Montana.
Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana ..... 645
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For the relief of citizens of Montana who served with the United States troops in the war with the Nez Percés and for the relief of the heirs of such as were killed in the service.
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Referred to the Committee on the Territories ..... 645

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Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1323—
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Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana ..... 645
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H. R. No. 1324—
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H. R. No. 1326—
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Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana ..... 646
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Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 742
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To establish an educational fund and apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to public education, and to provide for the more complete endowment and support of national colleges for the advancement of scientific and industrial education.
Introduced by Mr. Richardson, of South Carolina ..... 1054
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H. R. No. 1516—
For the relief of Macon, Georgia.
Introduced by Mr. Blount, of Georgia ..... 1054
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H. R. No. 1517—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to furnish to the Second Georgia Battalion tents, &c.
Introduced by Mr. Blount, of Georgia ..... 1054
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H. R. No. 1518—
To create an additional judicial district of the State of Georgia, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Blount, of Georgia ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1519—
To authorize the making of ingots of fine gold and ingots of fine silver of the value of $100 each for exportation, manufactures, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Stephens, of Georgia ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1520—
For the relief of Samuel I. Gustin.
Introduced by Mr. Stephens, of Georgia ..... 1054
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H. R. No. 1521—
For the relief of James Buchanan, of Georgia.
Introduced by Mr. Smith, of Georgia ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1522—
To repeal the duty on importation of sulphate of quinine.
Introduced by Mr. Speer, of Georgia ..... 1054
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H. R. No. 1523—
Granting a pension to Emily W. Ogden.
Introduced by Mr. Herndon, of Alabama ..... 1054
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H. R. No. 1524—
To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to refund certain internal-revenue taxes erroneously collected from the Mobile and Ohio Railroad Company.
Introduced by Mr. Herndon, of Alabama ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1525—
For the improvement of the Choctawhatchie and Pea Rivers.
Introduced by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1526—
To put into market certain timbered lands of the United States, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Herbert, of Alabama ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1527—
For the relief of homestead settlers.
Introduced by Mr. Herbert, of Alabama ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1054

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H. R. No. 1528—
For the relief of Julia A. Nutt, widow and executrix of Haller Nutt, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1529—
For the relief of A. Karpe.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1530—
For the relief of W. W. Welsh.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1531—
For the relief of Drury Bynum.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1532—
For the relief of certain citizens claiming to be loyal, and whose claims are now pending before Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Manning, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1533—
To facilitate the delivery of letters and the speedy return to the writers thereof of such as are refused or cannot be delivered.
Introduced by Mr. Money, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1534—
To exempt postal employés from serving upon juries.
Introduced by Mr. Money, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1535—
Making an appropriation for the improvement of the Tombigbee River.
Introduced by Mr. Muldrow, of Mississippi ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1054

H. R. No. 1536—
For the relief of Cora A. Slocumb, Ida A. Richardson, and Caroline A. Urquhart.
Introduced by Mr. Ellis, of Louisiana ..... 1054
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1055

H. R. No. 1537—
To aid the Great Southern Railway Company (consolidated) to construct a line of railway in the States of Georgia and Florida.
Introduced by Mr. Ellis, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee on the Pacific Railroad ..... 1055

H. R. No. 1538—
To authorize the establishment of mail-steamship service between the United States and Central America.
Introduced by Mr. Robertson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1055

H. R. No. 1539—
To provide for the appointment of a Mississippi River commission for the improvement of said river from the head of the passes near its mouth to its headwaters.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee on Levees and Improvement of the Mississippi River ..... 1055

H. R. No. 1540—
To amend an act entitled "An act to encourage the establishment of public marine schools," approved June 20, 1874, so as to extend it to the ports of Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah, Mobile, New Orleans, and Galveston.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1055

H. R. No. 1541—
To make the ports of Brownsville, Galveston, and Houston, Texas, ports to which unappraised merchandise may be transported.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1055

H. R. No. 1542—
For the relief of Charles Clinton, of New Orleans, late assistant treasurer at New Orleans.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
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To authorize George E. Payne to bring suit in the Court of Claims.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1055

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H. R. No. 1544—
In relation to the Union Pacific, Central Pacific, and Kansas Pacific Railroads, and to alter and amend certain acts entitled "An act to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the Missouri River to the Pacific Ocean, and to secure to the Government the use of the same for postal, military, and other purposes," approved July 1, 1862, and an act approved July 2, 1864, amendatory of said act; and finally an act approved May 7, 1878, in amendment of said above-mentioned acts respectively, and to secure the Government of the United States against the results of the frauds perpetrated by the Credit Mobilier.
Introduced by Mr. Acklen, of Louisiana ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on the Pacific Railroad ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1545—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to remove the remains of Lieutenant James H. Bradley from Big Hole Pass, Montana Territory, to Stryker, Williams County, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1546—
To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to adjust the accounts of certain bands of Pottawatomie Indians in the States of Michigan and Indiana, and to pay any arrears of annuities due to them under treaties of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1547—
To punish bribery and treating at elections.
Introduced by Mr. Butterworth, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1548—
To further preserve the purity of elections.
Introduced by Mr. Butterworth, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1549—
Granting a pension to E. L. Husted.
Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1550—
To provide a commission on the subject of the alcoholic-liquor traffic.
Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1551—
To amend the soldiers and sailors' homestead law.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1552—
To entitle honorably-discharged officers, soldiers, and sailors of the Army and Navy of the United States to medical advice and relief from any post-station or medical officer of a naval hospital or depot.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1553—
For the relief of Sarah E. Herrell, widow of the late John Herrell, late captain of Company H, Second Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1554—
Authorizing the appropriation of additional land for custom-house at Toledo, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Hurd, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1056

H. R. No. 1555—
To amend an act amendatory of an act entitled "An act to provide for circuit and district courts of the United States at Toledo, Ohio."
Introduced by Mr. Hurd, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1556—
Granting a pension to William McMonday.
Introduced by Mr. Le Fevre, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1557—
Granting a pension to Benjamin Franklin Amos.
Introduced by Mr. Le Fevre, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1558—
For the relief of John B. Brown, for bounty and allowances.
Introduced by Mr. Atherton, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1559—
For the relief of William T. Morehead, Eighth Iowa Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Atherton, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1056

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Granting a pension to James B. White, of Zanesville, Muskingum County, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Atherton, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1561—
For the relief of Theodore W. Talmadge.
Introduced by Mr. Ewing, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Private Land Claims ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1562—
For the relief of John Dwyer, of the city of Washington, District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Ewing, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1563—
To declare the intent and meaning of an act approved July 27, 1861, entitled "An act to indemnify the States for expenses incurred by them in defense of the United States."
Introduced by Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1056

H. R. No. 1564—
For the benefit of R. H. Martin, of Campbellville, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky ..... 1056
Referred to Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads. 1056

H. R. No. 1565—
For the benefit of John C. Herndon, formerly of Mason County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1566—
To repeal so much of the sixth clause of section 3244 of the Revised Statutes of the United States as prohibits farmers and planters from selling leaf-tobacco at retail directly to consumers without the payment of a special tax.
Introduced by Mr. Knott, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1567—
Granting a pension to Pius A. Coomes.
Introduced by Mr. Knott, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1568—
To provide for the election of a Congressional Printer, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Knott, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1569—
Granting a pension to William H. Walker, of Fentress County, Tennessee, late of Company C, First Regiment Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Caldwell, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1570—
To permit farmers and planters to sell tobacco of their own production without special tax, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Oscar Turner, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1571—
To abolish all taxes on brandy made of apples and peaches in the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Oscar Turner, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1572—
Restoring the name of William Gregory, of Muhlenburg County, Kentucky, to the pension-roll.
Introduced by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1573—
For the relief of John Galt, jr., late a major of the Twenty-eighth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1574—
Granting a pension to Kate Wilharlitz.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1575—
For the relief of James Hopwood.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1576—
For the relief of the heirs of Edward B. Clark.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia... 1057

H. R. No. 1577—
For the relief of F. Stitzel & Brother.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
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H. R. No. 1578—
Granting a pension to Gilbert A. Phillips.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1579—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Sallie T. Ward.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1580—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Ann Sheffield.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1581—
Granting a pension to Keturah A. Collins.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1582—
Granting a pension to John B. Martin, of Louisville, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1583—
For the relief of Mrs. Fanny S. Conway, of Louisville, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1584—
For the relief of J. R. Middleton, of Louisville, of the State of Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1585—
For the relief of William Geissel, late a second-lieutenant of the Sixth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1586—
To amend an act entitled "An act making appropriations for the construction, repair, preservation, and completion of certain works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes," approved March 4, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Thomas Turner, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1057
Reported back with a bill (H. R. No. 1999) as a substitute.. 1334

H. R. No. 1587—
For the relief of Saint Andrew's Lodge, No. 18, Free and Accepted Masons, Cynthiana, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1588—
For the relief of the estate of Thomas V. Stirman, deceased, late of Harrison County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1589—
For the relief of Isaac N. Webb, of Harrison County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1590—
For the relief of Thomas C. Isgrig, of Pike County, Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1591—
For the relief of William W. Anderson, of Harrison County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1592—
For the relief of James S. Frizell, of Dayton, Ohio, and late of Harrison County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1593—
For the relief of the estate of Marcus L. Broadwell, deceased, late of Harrison County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1594—
For the relief of Joseph B. McClintock, of Harrison County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Carlisle, of Kentucky ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1595—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Anna J. Guest, widow of Commodore John Guest, late of the United States Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

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H. R. No. 1596—
Granting a pension to Berry H. Vaughn.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1597—
Granting a pension to Patsy Davenport.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1598—
To abolish the office of assistant United States district attorney for various districts and circuits in the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on the Revision of the Laws ..... 1057

H. R. No. 1599—
To repeal part of section 643 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on the Revision of the Laws ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1600—
To repeal section 3412 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee ..... 1057
Referred to the Committee on the Revision of the Laws ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1601—
To reduce the expenses of collecting customs.
Introduced by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1602—
For the relief of distillers of small capacity.
Introduced by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1603—
Establishing a national memorial orphan association.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Epidemic Diseases ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1604—
To increase the efficiency of the National Board of Health and to prevent the introduction into or spread within the United States of contagious and infectious diseases.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on the Origin, Introduction and Prevention of Epidemic Diseases in the United States ..... 1058
Reported back favorably ..... 1399
Called up for consideration, and Senate bill No. 108 considered in lieu thereof ..... 1402, 1637

H. R. No. 1605—
For the relief of the widow and children of George N. Barber, late a pensioner of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1606—
To provide for the construction of a railway from the Mississippi waters to the Pacific Ocean, and amendatory of and supplemental to an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Texas Pacific Railroad Company and to aid in the construction of its road, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1871, and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on the Pacific Railroad ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1607—
To provide for the construction of a marine hospital in the city of Memphis, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1058
Reported back with a bill (H. R. No. 2253) proposed as a substitute ..... 1877

H. R. No. 1608—
For the relief of Mrs. Margaret Woodworth, widow of the late John M. Woodworth, surgeon-general of the Marine Hospital service.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1609—
For the relief of Mollie B. Waldo, widow of the late Assistant Surgeon Roswell Waldo, of the Marine Hospital service.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1610—
For the relief of Mrs. Mary Speed, of Memphis, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1611—
For the relief of Lucinda McGuire, of Memphis, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1612—
For the relief of Mrs. Sallie Jarratt, executrix of Gregory Jarratt, deceased, late of Hardeman County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1058

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H. R. No. 1613—
Granting a pension to Mary Donellon.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1614—
To cede to the city of Memphis, in the State of Tennessee, a certain lot of land situated in said city.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1615—
For relief of John Allen, of Hardeman County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1616—
For the relief of J. D. Bond & Brother, of Wilson County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1617—
Granting a pension to Nathaniel Halbert.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1618—
Making appropriations to improve the Caney Fork River.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1619—
Authorizing the appointment of John B. Peyton to the office of paymaster in the Army.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1620—
Making an appropriation to improve the Obeds River.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1621—
Making appropriations to improve the navigation of tributary streams of the Tennessee River.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1622—
For the relief of Thomas L. Duncan, of Anderson County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1623—
For the relief of John Henry, of Jefferson County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1624—
For the relief of Hardie R. Brown, late a second lieutenant of Company G, Sixth Tennessee Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1058
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1058

H. R. No. 1625—
For the relief of George L. Key, late first lieutenant of the Twenty-fifth Battery Indiana Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Bicknell, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1626—
For reviving and continuing the court of commissioners of Alabama claims and for the distribution of the unappropriated moneys of the Geneva award.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1627—
To authorize the construction of a railroad bridge across the Wabash River.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1059
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H. R. No. 1628—
Granting a pension to Dalton Hinchman, late a private in Company G, Second Michigan Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1629—
For the improvement of the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1630—
To provide for funding municipal indebtedness with United States paper money.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1059

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H. R. No. 1631—
To provide for a greenback currency and to relieve financial distress by granting aid to certain companies incorporated by State authority for works of internal improvements.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1632—
To provide for the payment of the interest on the debt of the United States and for funding said debt in United States paper money.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1633—
For the relief of Walter D. Plowden.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1634—
For the relief of Captain Lewis Stoddard.
Introduced by Mr. Browne, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1635—
Granting a pension to George W. Lowe, late captain Eighty-third Regiment Indiana Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Browne, of Indiana ..... 1059
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1059

H. R. No. 1636—
For the relief of Francis M. May, postmaster at Winchester, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Browne, of Indiana ..... 1059
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For the relief of the legal representatives of George Coggan.
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For the relief of Bowers & Richards and their assigns.
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Introduced by Mr. Ainslie, of Idaho ..... 1089
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Introduced by Mr. Downey, of Wyoming ..... 1089
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For the relief of George W. Moore.
Introduced by Mr. Downey, of Wyoming ..... 1089
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H. R. No. 1778—
For the relief of Thomas F. Talbot.
Introduced by Mr. Downey, of Wyoming ..... 1089
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H. R. No. 1779—
For the relief of certain settlers in the Wind River Valley, Wyoming Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Downey, of Wyoming ..... 1090
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For relief of Samuel Kelly, of Harper's Ferry, West Virginia.
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H. R. No. 1785—
For the relief of the county of Randolph, West Virginia.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1090
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H. R. No. 1786—
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H. R. No. 1790—
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For the relief of Philip Pendleton, late paymaster United States Army.
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For the relief of Maria Shuler, administratrix of Dr. John S. Shuler, deceased.
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Introduced by Mr. Bragg, of Wisconsin ..... 1090
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To stop the Bonnet Carré Crevasse in the Mississippi River above the city of New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Robertson, of Louisiana ..... 1090
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To exempt all persons making less than sixty gallons of brandy from apples or peaches from taxation.
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Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1262
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Granting a pension to Levi Keller.
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Granting a pension to Rebecca Brongher.
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H. R. No. 1890—
Granting a pension to Ellen Gillespie, widow of John W. Gillespie, Company F, Thirty-eighth Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers.
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H. R. No. 1899—
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H. R. No. 1907—
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Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1263

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H. R. No. 1921—
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To provide for the organization of the Mississippi River Improvement Commission, and for the correction, permanent location, and deepening of the channel, and the improvement of the navigation of said Mississippi River, and the protection of its alluvial lands.
Introduced by Mr. King, of Louisiana ..... 1263
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H. R. No. 1924—
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H. R. No. 1926—
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Introduced by Mr. Blackburn, of Kentucky ..... 1264
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H. R. No. 1934—
To provide for the refunding of a tax erroneously levied and collected to John M. Viley, of Great Crossings, Scott County, Kentucky.
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Granting a pension to John H. McBrayer.
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For the relief of Lieutenant Frank P. Gross.
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H. R. No. 1942—
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H. R. No. 1943—
For the relief of W. L. Carey.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1264
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H. R. No. 1944—
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Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1264
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1264

H. R. No. 1945—
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H. R. No. 1948—
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For the relief of John H. Scott, of Knox County, in the State of Indiana.
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H. R. No. 1950—
Granting a pension to James Calaway.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 1264
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H. R. No. 1951—
For the relief of Mary J. Booker.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 1264
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Introduced by Mr. Hostetler, of Indiana ..... 1264
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For the relief of Lawrence H. Jones, of McHenry County, Illinois.
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H. R. No. 1958—
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H. R. No. 1959—
To provide for deficiencies in appropriations for transportation of the mails.
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Introduced by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri ..... 1265
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 1265

H. R. No. 1966—
For the relief of John A. Frith, of Des Arc, in the State of Arkansas.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1265
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1265

H. R. No. 1967—
For the relief of John Jackson, of Jackson County, in the State of Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1265
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Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1265
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H. R. No. 1969—
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Introduced by Mr. Sapp, of Iowa ..... 1265
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H. R. No. 1972—
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Introduced by Mr. McCoid, of Iowa ..... 1265
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1265

H. R. No. 1973—
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Introduced by Mr. Dunnell, of Minnesota ..... 1265
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H. R. No. 1980—
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H. R. No. 1981—
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Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1265

H. R. No. 1982—
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Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1265
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H. R. No. 1984—
To provide for the sale of certain public lands in the county of Knox and State of Nebraska, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Valentine, of Nebraska ..... 1266
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1266

H. R. No. 1985—
For the relief of legal representatives of W. Craig, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Ainslie, of Idaho ..... 1266
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H. R. No. 1986—
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H. R. No. 1988—
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H. R. No. 1992—
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H. R. No. 1993—
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Introduced by Mr. McCook, of New York ..... 1266
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H. R. No. 1995—
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H. R. No. 2001—
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For the relief of J. P. Zimmerman and H. P. Snow, of Clinton County, Kentucky.
Reported by Mr. Singleton, of Illinois, from the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1400
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar ..... 1400
Reported back, considered, amended, and passed by the House ..... 2250, 2251, 2253
Referred to the Senate Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 2258

H. R. No. 2004—
To confirm the title of Charles Oliver Duclozel to certain lands in the State of Louisiana.
Reported by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia, from the Committee on Private Land Claims ..... 1400
Considered, and referred to Committee of the Whole .. 1400–1402, 1553, 1554
Reported back, considered, amended, and passed by the House ..... 2251, 2253
Referred to the Senate Committee on Private Land Claims. 2258

H. R. No. 2005—
To confer upon the commissioners of the District of Columbia the powers, duties, and limitations contained in chapter 8, "water service," of the Revised Statutes of the United States, relating to the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Henkle, of Maryland ..... 1402
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 1402
Reported back with an amendment, amended, and passed by the House ..... 1669, 1670
Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 1707
Reported back, considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1715, 1736–1739, 1758, 1759
Amendment of title ..... 1759
Senate amendments concurred in by the House ..... 1776
Examined and signed ..... 1809, 1829
Approved by the President ..... 1987

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H. R. No. 2006—
To amend sections 2493 and 2494 of the Revised Statutes, relative to the importation of neat cattle into the United States for breeding purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Covert, of New York ..... 1402
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture ..... 1402
Reported back, considered, and passed by the House ..... 1873
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 1889

H. R. No. 2007—
Granting a pension to Mary P. Thompson, widow of James B. Thompson, late captain Company F, One hundred and ninetieth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Bayne, of Pennsylvania ..... 1402
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1402

H. R. No. 2008—
For the relief of Herman Hulman and Crawford Fairbanks, of the city of Terre Haute, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Orth, of Indiana ..... 1485
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1485

H. R. No. 2009—
For the relief of the legal representatives of Solomon Cohen, late postmaster at Savannah, Georgia.
Introduced by Mr. Nicholls, of Georgia ..... 1495
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1495

H. R. No. 2010—
For the relief of the legal representatives and sureties of Cyrus K. Osgood, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Nicholls, of Georgia ..... 1495
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1495

H. R. No. 2011—
To prohibit officers of the United States and of the States from serving on juries in the courts of the United States and Territories.
Introduced by Mr. Shelley, of Alabama ..... 1495
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1495

H. R. No. 2012—
To provide for holding an international exhibition of arts, manufactures, and products of the soil and mine in the city of New York and State of New York.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 1497
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1497

H. R. No. 2013—
To amend section 14 of "An act making appropriations for the service of the Post-Office Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Springer, of Illinois ..... 1521
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1521

H. R. No. 2014—
To provide for the welfare of the people in preventing the adulteration of articles of food and drink.
Introduced by Mr. Beale, of Virginia ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee on Manufactures ..... 1552

H. R. No. 2015—
For the relief of Jennie K. Moore.
Introduced by Mr. Wilson, of West Virginia ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1552

H. R. No. 2016—
To ratify and confirm an appropriation made by the county of Humboldt, in the State of Iowa, of the swamp and overflowed lands situated within the boundaries of said county to aid in the construction of a railroad in said county.
Introduced by Mr. Carpenter, of Iowa ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals ..... 1552
Change of reference to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2048

H. R. No. 2017—
For the relief of Herbert S. Jenkins, of Pawnee, in the State Nebraska.
Introduced by Mr. Valentine, of Nebraska ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1552

H. R. No. 2018—
For the relief of James Fleming, of Crawford County, Pennsylvania, sergeant in Second United States Infantry of the war of 1812.
Introduced by Mr. Dick, of Pennsylvania ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions ..... 1552

H. R. No. 2019—
For the relief of Daniel M. Cook, granting an extension of his patent.
Reported by Mr. Ward, of Pennsylvania, from the Committee on Patents, proposed as a substitute for House bill No. 342 ..... 1556
Considered, amended, and passed by the House ..... 1556, 1557, 1986, 1987, 2245, 2246
Referred to the Senate Committee on Patents ..... 2253

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H. R. No. 2020—
To establish post-routes.
Reported by Mr. Money, of Mississippi, from the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads and withdrawn ..... 1521
Introduced by Mr. Money, of Mississippi and passed by the House ..... 1597
Referred to the Senate Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 1634
Amendments submitted and referred to the Senate Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 1659, 1679, 1724, 1735
Reported back with amendments, considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1678, 1724, 1739–1743
Senate amendments concurred in by the House ..... 1776
Examined and signed ..... 1809, 1834
Approved by the President ..... 1988

H. R. No. 2021—
To vest the title of the United States barracks in the city of Savannah, in the State of Georgia, in the corporation of said city, for public uses.
Introduced by Mr. Nicholls, of Georgia ..... 1597
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1598
Communication from the Secretary of War, relative to the bill, referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 2050

H. R. No. 2022—
Granting a pension to James M. Forth, of Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Sparks, of Illinois ..... 1598
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1598

H. R. No. 2023—
To amend sundry provisions of chapter 1, title 3, of the Revised Statutes of the United States, relating to presidential elections, and to provide for the counting of the vote for President and Vice-President and the decision of questions arising thereon.
Reported by Mr. Bicknell, of Indiana, from the Committee on the State of the Law in reference to the Electoral Count for President and Vice-President ..... 1665
Recommitted to the Committee on the Electoral Count ..... 1665

H. R. No. 2024—
To convert the gold now or which may hereafter come into the public Treasury into silver, to authorize the issuing of certificates therefor, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky ..... 1666
Referred to the Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures ..... 1666

H. R. No. 2025—
To prevent and punish wrongs to children in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Frye, of Maine ..... 1666
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1666

H. R. No. 2026—
For the relief of Captain F. B. Stewart, late assistant quartermaster United States Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Frye, of Maine ..... 1666, 1725
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2027—
To amend section 14, chapter 1, of title 2, of the Revised Statutes, relating to the election of Senators.
Introduced by Mr. Farr, of New Hampshire ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2028—
Authorizing the change of the name of the bark Robert Morrison.
Introduced by Mr. Crapo, of Massachusetts ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2029—
Granting an increase of pension to Albert F. Howland.
Introduced by Mr. Crapo, of Massachusetts ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2030—
For the relief of William G. Budlong.
Introduced by Mr. Aldrich, of Rhode Island ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2031—
Granting a pension to John N. Hay, of Cohoes, in the State of New York.
Introduced by Mr. Bailey, of New York ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2032—
Granting a pension to James S. Griswold.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2033—
To authorize the Secretary of War to release certain lands of the United States to the people of the State of New York.
Introduced by Mr. Hammond, of New York ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1725

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H. R. No. 2034—
For the relief of Joseph K. Killbourn and Edward E. Killbourn.
Introduced by Mr. Ross, of New Jersey ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2035—
To provide for the purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a public building in the city of Altoona, in the State of Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2036—
To remove the charge of desertion from the military record of Josiah T. Crouch, late private Company I, Twenty-first Pennsylvania Reserve Cavalry Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2037—
To remove the charge of desertion from the military record of Joseph P. Swope, Company A, Eleventh Pennsylvania Cavalry Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2038—
To authorize the restoration of John R. Edie, late lieutenant-colonel of the Eighth Infantry, to the rank he held in the Army of the United States at the time he was honorably discharged.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2039—
Granting a pension to Jacob J. Smith, first lieutenant Company H, Twelfth Regiment of Pennsylvania Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2040—
Granting a pension to Rufus Crissy.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2041—
Granting a pension to James Aaron, Company F, Ninety-first Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2042—
To enable the Court of Claims to hear and determine the claim of P. A. Ahl & Brother, of Pennsylvania, for iron taken and used by the United States engineers.
Introduced by Mr. Beltzhoover, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2043—
Granting a pension to Mary A. Murray, widow of Douglas A. Murray, late a lieutenant-colonel of the Third Regiment of Ohio Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Beltzhoover, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2044—
Granting a pension to Martha J. Porter, widow of William M. Porter, late a captain in the One hundred and thirtieth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Beltzhoover, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2045—
Granting a pension to David L. McDermott, late a private in Company K, One hundred and seventh Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Beltzhoover, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1725

H. R. No. 2046—
To authorize a compromise of the claims of the United States under the will of Joseph L. Lewis.
Introduced by Mr. Clymer, of Pennsylvania ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1726
Reported back, amended, and passed by the House ..... 1925
Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1951
Reported back and placed on the Calendar ..... 2020
Memorial remonstrating against passage of bill ordered to be printed ..... 2098

H. R. No. 2047—
Granting a full pension to Major Joseph C. West.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2048—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Elizabeth Long, widow of Lieutenant-Colonel Andrew K. Long.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

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H. R. No. 2049—
Granting a pension to Calvin Conner, a soldier in the late war.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2050—
Granting an increase of pension to T. Francis Van Swarttouw, a soldier in the late war.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2051—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Ellen Engle, widow of Solomon Engle, a soldier in the late war.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2052—
To regulate the value of money issued by authority of the United States and to provide further internal revenue for the Government.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2053—
To authorize the assistant treasurer of the United States at New York to waive enforcement of section 3477 of the Revised Statutes so far as the same affects certain drafts upon him now held by the Masonic Bank of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Errett, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2054—
For the relief of the heirs of Philip Francis Renault.
Introduced by Mr. Yocum, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2055—
Granting a pension to John Griffin, late of the Eleventh Pennsylvania Cavalry Regiment.
Introduced by Mr. Overton, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2056—
To provide for the purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a public building in the city of Reading, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Clymer, of Pennsylvania ..... 1726
Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2057—
For the relief of Levi Price.
Introduced by Mr. Urner, of Maryland ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2058—
For the relief of Redmond Tully.
Introduced by Mr. Urner, of Maryland ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2059—
Granting an increase of pension to Bernard Brady.
Introduced by Mr. Urner, of Maryland ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2060—
Extending the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Hunton, of Virginia ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2061—
To revise, consolidate, and amend certain acts of the late corporation of Washington, of Georgetown, of the levy court of the county of Washington, and of the legislative assembly; the ordinances of the late board of health of the District of Columbia; certain regulations of the commissioners of the District of Columbia made in pursuance of the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 11, 1878, and certain acts of Congress having relation to the municipal affairs in the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Hunton, of Virginia ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 1726
Resolution respecting bill adopted ..... 2355

H. R. No. 2062—
To amend and re-enact section 3220 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, so as to provide for the payment of judgments obtained under it as judgments of the Court of Claims are now paid.
Introduced by Mr. Richmond, of Virginia ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2063—
To amend sections 3227 and 3228 of the Revised Statutes of the United States so that the statute of limitations will not apply to claims of corporations for taxes erroneously paid by them to the Internal Revenue Department on dividends declared in favor of any State.
Introduced by Mr. Scales, of North Carolina ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1726

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H. R. No. 2064—
For the relief of Levi Wright, of North Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of North Carolina ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2065—
For the relief of Helen Watts.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of North Carolina ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2066—
For the relief of owners of land sold for direct taxes.
Introduced by Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2067—
To appropriate the sum of $100,000 to build a custom-house and post-office in the city of Brunswick, State of Georgia.
Introduced by Mr. Nicholls, of Georgia ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1726

H. R. No. 2068—
To repeal sections 801, 820 and 821 of the Revised Statutes, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Herbert, of Alabama ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2069—
To prohibit the funding of United States bonds payable in Treasury notes into coin bonds.
Introduced by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2070—
To repeal in part the act of June 21, 1866, entitled "An act for the disposal of public lands," &c.
Introduced by Mr. Lowe, of Alabama ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2071—
To modify and repeal in part section 5485 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Lowe, of Alabama ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1726

H. R. No. 2072—
To substitute United States legal-tender greenback money for national-bank notes.
Introduced by Mr. Lowe, of Alabama ..... 1726
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2073—
For the relief of W. W. Welsh.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2074—
For the relief of Nancy Smith and others.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2075—
Granting a pension to Amanda J. McFaddin.
Introduced by Mr. Manning, of Mississippi ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2076—
To amend the act establishing the southern claims commission so as to extend the same to the Indian tribes.
Introduced by Mr. Hooker, of Mis-issippi ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2077—
To prevent the unlawful handling and carrying of mail-matter.
Introduced by Mr. Manning, of Mississippi ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads. 1727

H. R. No. 2078—
To provide for regulating the manner of expediting schedules of mail-routes.
Introduced by Mr. Manning, of Mississippi ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads. 1727

H. R. No. 2079—
To allow arrears of pension to the heirs of the widow of Captain J. H. Dent, United States Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Ellis, of Louisiana ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2080—
To incorporate the United States Board of Trade, Manufactures, Commerce, and Agriculture, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Acklen, of Louisiana ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1727
Reported back and recommitted ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2081—
Granting a pension to Charlotte Buck, of Norwalk, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2082—
Granting a pension to Valentine Neidig.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

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H. R. No. 2083—
Granting a pension to Francis M. Cluttee.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2084—
Granting a pension to Jacob Rice.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2085—
Granting a pension to John Parker.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2086—
Granting a pension to Daniel Spear, late private Company E, Eighth Regiment Kansas Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2087—
To provide for the payment of additional bounty to the soldiers of the Army of the United States during the late war of the rebellion.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2088—
To repeal the acts establishing the Court of Claims.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2089—
Appropriating money to purchase a site and erect a post-office at the city of Portsmouth, State of Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Neal, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1727

H. R. No. 2090—
To authorize the Secretary of War to furnish condemned cannon for the soldiers' cemetery at Gallipolis, in the State of Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Neal, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2091—
For the benefit of Noah L. Payne, late a private in Company K, of the Fourteenth Regiment Kentucky Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2092—
Modifying section 27 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee of Elections ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2093—
For the benefit of Isaac Lykins, of Lewis County, Kentucky, late a private of Captain Peter T. Hedges's Company G, Twenty-fourth Regiment of Kentucky Infantry Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2094—
For the relief of Joshua T. Harry, of Rowan County, Kentucky, late sergeant in Company F, Twenty-fourth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, and later a member of Company K, Sixth Kentucky Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2095—
Granting a pension to S. W. Tanner, late a private in Company A, Thirty-fifth Regiment Kentucky Mounted Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2096—
Granting a pension to O. S. Parker, of Christian County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. McKenzie, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2097—
For the benefit of John W. Williams, of Powell County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Thomas Turner, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2098—
For the relief of the heirs of Edward B. Clark.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 1727

H. R. No. 2099—
For the relief of Brandeis & Crawford, of Louisville, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1727

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H. R. No. 2100—
For the relief of H. S. Saunders, of Jefferson County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2101—
To amend an act entitled "An act to provide a permanent form of government for the District of Columbia," approved June 11, 1878.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2102—
To amend the laws relating to the retired list in the Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2103—
For the relief of Jones C. Beene, postmaster at South Pittsburgh, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2104—
To reduce the salary of the President of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Reform in the Civil Service. 1728

H. R. No. 2105—
Granting a pension to James Moreland.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2106—
For the relief of distillers of spirits by the repayment of money expended or deposited by them for Tice meters with United States internal-revenue officers.
Introduced by Mr. House, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2107—
Granting a pension to John W. Churchwell, of Sullivan County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2108—
Granting a pension to George C. Cloud, of Sullivan County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2109—
For the relief of Treadwell S. Ayres.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2110—
To provide for the importation of quinine and Peruvian bark free of duty.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2111—
Granting a pension to Jordan A. Lively, of Anderson County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2112—
Granting a pension to John W. Hickle, of Union County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2113—
Granting a pension to William R. Duncan.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2114—
Granting a pension to William C. Smith.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2115—
To grant a pension to Mrs. Margaret J. Bird, widow of James A. Bird, deceased, late second lieutenant Company —, Second Tennessee Infantry Volunteers, United States Army of the war of 1861.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2116—
To further regulate and define the duties and compensation of the assistant attorney-general for the Post-Office Department, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2117—
To provide for the payment of claimants for property taken, used, or destroyed in the Morgan raid, in Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1728

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H. R. No. 2118—
Granting a pension to John B. Lynch, late private Company D, Third Regiment Indiana Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. New, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2119—
Granting a pension to Horace Heffren.
Introduced by Mr. Bicknell, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2120—
Granting a pension to Bernard Brady.
Introduced by Mr. Bicknell, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2121—
Granting a pension to John B. Lynch, late private Company D, Third Regiment Indiana Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Hostetler, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2122—
To preserve peace with the Indians.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2123—
Granting a pension to Albert L. Jack, late private in Company B, Eleventh Indiana Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Colerick, of Indiana ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2124—
Granting a pension to Elliott S. Miller, of Bloomington, Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2125—
Granting a pension to Henry B. Drake, of Logan County, Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2126—
Granting a pension to Harmon Bunn, of Tazewell County, Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2127—
Granting a pension to Joseph H. Crow, late captain Company F, One hundred and fifty-second Regiment Illinois Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Townshend, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2128—
To provide for the settlement of all outstanding claims against the District of Columbia and conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear the same, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Barber, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2129—
For the relief of Vinzeaz Boner, late of Company L, Fifteenth Illinois Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Hayes, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1728

H. R. No. 2130—
For the relief of George Bancroft, of Company G, Tenth Illinois Cavalry Regiment.
Introduced by Mr. Springer, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1729

H. R. No. 2131—
To regulate the stations of soldiers during elections.
Introduced by Mr. Springer, of Illinois ..... 1729
Referred to the Committee of Elections ..... 1729
Consideration concerning substitute ..... 2048, 2049

H. R. No. 2132—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to appoint a deputy collector at Lake Charles, Louisiana.
Reported by Mr. Acklen, of Louisiana, from the Committee on Commerce and recommitted ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2133—
For the relief of Charles S. Wilder.
Introduced by Mr. Haskell, of Kansas ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2134—
For the relief of Harlow L. Street.
Introduced by Mr. Haskell, of Kansas ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2135—
Granting a pension to Coleman Sims, of Clarksburgh, West Virginia.
Introduced by Mr. Kenna, of West Virginia ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1762

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H. R. No. 2136—
Granting a pension to John Fisher, guardian of the minor heirs of William Dakin, deceased, late private Company G, Sixth West Virginia Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Kenna, of West Virginia ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2137—
Granting a pension to William C. Parker.
Introduced by Mr. Kenna, of West Virginia ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2138—
For the relief of settlers on the public lands under the pre-emption laws.
Introduced by Mr. Anderson, of Kansas ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2139—
To provide for the erection of a penitentiary in the Territory of Utah.
Introduced by Mr. Cannon, of Utah ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1762

H. R. No. 2140—
To abolish the position or office of mates in the United States Navy.
Introduced by Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2141—
For the relief of W. R. Boice, of Danville, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2142—
To regulate the number and pay of the United States supervisors of elections and special deputy marshals appointed under sections 2012 and 2021 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1762

H. R. No 2143—
To test Mann's marine danger signal.
Introduced by Mr. Russell, of Massachusetts ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2144—
Granting a pension to Mary Morrison, widow of John Morrison, a soldier in the war of 1792 to 1795.
Introduced by Mr. Osmer, of Pennsylvania ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2145—
For the relief of Loyal P. Brown and others, sureties upon the official bond of James H. Alvord, formerly United States marshal in the Territory of Idaho.
Introduced by Mr. Ainslie, of Idaho ..... 1762
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1762

H. R. No. 2146—
Authorizing the archives of the several land offices in the State of Missouri to be delivered to said State whenever said offices shall be closed and discontinued.
Introduced by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2147—
To amend section 3700 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the public debt.
Introduced by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2148—
To repeal section 3437 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the tax on lucifer matches, and to impose a tax on the sale of stocks and bonds.
Introduced by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2149—
To prohibit the payment of interest on deposits by national banking associations.
Introduced by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2150—
To provide for the erection of a public building in the city of Hannibal, in the State of Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Hatch, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 1763

H. R. No. 2151—
Granting a pension to Sylvia Jenks, widow of George Jenks, a soldier of the war of 1812.
Introduced by Mr. Updegraff, of Iowa ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2152—
To amend an act entitled "An act to grant additional rights to homestead settlers on public lands within railroad limits.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1763

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H. R. No. 2153—
Providing for a settlement among the North Carolina Cherokees, in regard to their lands in the State of North Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2154—
Granting a pension to Elizabeth J. Colbert, wife of Joseph C. Colbert, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Forsythe, of Illinois ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2155—
Amending an act entitled "An act to grant additional rights to homestead settlers on public lands within railroad limits," approved March 3, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2156—
Amending section 2427 of the Revised Statutes so as to extend the benefits of the bounty-land law to the volunteers who served in the Oregon and Washington Indian war of 1855–'56.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2157—
Amending sections 1926 and 1927 of the Revised Statutes so as to extend the limits of the jurisdiction of justices of the peace in the Territories of Washington, Idaho, and Montana.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on the Territories ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2158—
Authorizing the deputy inspector of customs resident on San Juan Island, in the Puget Sound district, in Washington Territory, to enter and clear vessels.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2159—
For the relief of Isaac Lemon and Addison S. Perham, of Washington Territory.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2160—
For the relief of James Toland, formerly of Company E, First Regiment Washington Territory Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Brents, of Washington ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2161—
For the relief of M. O'Brien & Co.
Introduced by Mr. Waddill, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2162—
To provide for a survey for a harbor of refuge at or near Saint Louis, Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Frost, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2163—
To provide for the construction of suitable rooms for the use of the United States circuit and district courts in the public building to be erected in the city of Kansas, in the State of Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Sawyer, of Missouri ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2164—
To create Moorhead, in the State of Minnesota and in the collection district of Minnesota, a port of delivery.
Introduced by Mr. Washburn, of Minnesota ..... 1763
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1763

H. R. No. 2165—
To amend section 2296, title 32, of the Revised Statutes, relating to homestead settlers.
Introduced by Mr. Poehler, of Minnesota ..... 1764
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1764
Reported back and passed by the House ..... 2048
Referred to the Senate Committee on Public Lands ..... 2059

H. R. No. 2166—
Granting a pension to Frederick Schaum.
Introduced by Mr. Poehler, of Minnesota ..... 1764
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1764

H. R. No. 2167—
For the relief of James B. Wood, late captain and assistant adjutant-general.
Introduced by Mr. Poehler, of Minnesota ..... 1764
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1764

H. R. No. 2168—
For the relief of Joseph P. Wilson.
Introduced by Mr. Poehler, of Minnesota ..... 1764
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1764

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H. R. No. 2169—
To furnish public books and reports to the clerks of United States courts at Paducah and Covington, in the State of Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Oscar Turner, of Kentucky ..... 1776
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1776

H. R. No. 2170—
To provide for the election of a Congressional Printer, and for other purposes.
Reported by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Printing ..... 1795
Considered and recommitted ..... 1795–1798

H. R. No. 2171—
Donating condemned cannon and cannon-balls to the Soldiers' Monument Association of Birmingham, in the State of Connecticut.
Introduced by Mr. Phelps, of Connecticut ..... 1798
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1798

H. R. No. 2172—
Making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.
Reported by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Appropriations and recommitted ..... 1800
Reported back, with a bill (H. R. No. 2251) proposed as a substitute ..... 1873

H. R. No. 2173—
To amend section 4696 of the Revised Statutes, in relation to pensions.
Introduced by Mr. Dunnell, of Minnesota ..... 1829
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1829

H. R. No. 2174—
For the relief of the heirs of Mark W. Izard, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Dunn, of Arkansas ..... 1829
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1829

H. R. No. 2175—
Making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes
Reported by Mr. Clymer, of Pennsylvania, from the Committee on Appropriations and recommitted ..... 1834
Reported back, referred to the Committee of the Whole, considered, amended, and passed by the House ..... 1928–1942
Amendment submitted and referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1944
Read the first time in the Senate ..... 1951
Read second time and referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1963
Reported back with amendments, and reference changed to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1990
Reported back, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2045, 2062–2083, 2103–2155, 2176–2180, 2199–2243
Examined and signed ..... 2258, 2280
Approved by the President ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2176—
Granting a pension to Wyatt Parish, late of Captain James Bowman's company, in Colonel John Demint's battalion, in the first division of General Posey's brigade, in the Black Hawk war.
Introduced by Mr. Townshend, of Illinois ..... 1845
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1845

H. R. No. 2177—
Granting a pension to Samuel Hazel, of Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Thomas, of Illinois ..... 1845
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1845

H. R. No. 2178—
Granting a pension to Isaac Nicholas.
Introduced by Mr. Thomas, of Illinois ..... 1845
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1845

H. R. No. 2179—
To repeal "An act to provide for additional regulations for homestead and pre-emption entries of public lands."
Introduced by Mr. Valentine, of Nebraska ..... 1845
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1845

H. R. No. 2180—
Granting an increase of pension to James H. Reeve.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1845
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar ..... 1845
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2251, 2253
Referred to the Senate Committee on Pensions ..... 2255

H. R. No. 2181—
Granting a pension to Nancy E. Kelley, widow of Thomas F. Kelley, of Company F, Fifty-ninth Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Forsythe, of Illinois ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1868

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H. R. No. 2182—
Granting a pension to Henry G. Conrad, Fifty-fourth Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Forsythe, of Illinois ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1868

H. R. No. 2183—
For the relief of such citizens of the Indian nations and tribes of the Indian Territory as lost property and effects on account of the war of the rebellion.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs ..... 1868

H. R. No. 2184—
For the relief of James R. Berry, of Arkansas.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1868

H. R. No. 2185—
To amend the judiciary act as to suits against certain corporations.
Introduced by Mr. Slemons, of Arkansas ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1868

H. R. No. 2186—
Making appropriations for the erection of suitable posts for the protection of the Rio Grande frontier.
Introduced by Mr. Upson, of Texas ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1868

H. R. No. 2187—
To provide for the purchase of a site and the construction of a suitable building for a court-house and post-office in the city of San Antonio, Texas.
Introduced by Mr. Upson, of Texas ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1868

H. R. No. 2188—
For the relief of Thomas Kearney, collector of customs for the district of Corpus Christi.
Introduced by Mr. Upson, of Texas ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2189—
For the relief of Alexander Rossy.
Introduced by Mr. Upson, of Texas ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2190—
In relation to liens of judgments of the United States courts.
Introduced by Mr. Sapp, of Iowa ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2191—
Granting a pension to Noah Wing, of Rozellville, Marathon County, Wisconsin.
Introduced by Mr. Pound, of Wisconsin ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2192—
Granting a pension to N. J. Lowthian.
Introduced by Mr. Dunnell, of Minnesota ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2193—
For the relief of John Kaula.
Introduced by Mr. Poehler, of Minnesota ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2194—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Almira B. Kater, of Greenleaf, Meeker County, Minnesota.
Introduced by Mr. Washburn, of Minnesota ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2195—
To declare forfeited certain lands granted to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from Portland to Astoria and McMinnville, in the State of Oregon.
Introduced by Mr. Whiteaker, of Oregon ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2196—
To establish a branch mint at Topeka, Kansas.
Introduced by Mr. Ryan, of Kansas ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2197—
Granting a pension to John K. Conner.
Introduced by Mr. Ryan, of Kansas ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2198—
To donate condemned cannon to John Ennis Post, Grand Army of the Republic.
Introduced by Mr. Kenna, of West Virginia ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2199—
For the relief of A. H. Herr.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1869

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H. R. No. 2200—
For the relief of the surviving children of Benjamin Moore, late of Harper's Ferry, West Virginia.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2201—
For the relief of legal representatives of Daniel Bedinger, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2202—
For the relief of Elizabeth Hamilton, widow of John R. Hamilton, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2203—
To provide for the construction of a wagon road across Mogollon Mountain, in the Territory of Arizona.
Introduced by Mr. Campbell, of Arizona ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2204—
For the relief of John H. McKnight, postmaster at Fort Shaw, Montana.
Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2205—
For the relief of A. P. Burditt and James Fisk.
Introduced by Mr. Claflin, of Massachusetts ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2206—
To consolidate the offices of registers in bankruptcy in certain cities.
Introduced by Mr. Lapham, of New York ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2207—
Granting a pension to George L. Aikens, late of Company I, Fourth New Jersey Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Smith, of New Jersey ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2208—
To change the name of the schooner J. H. Dusenberry.
Introduced by Mr. Smith, of New Jersey ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2209—
For the relief of Louisa Howard Powers.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhis, of New Jersey ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2210—
Granting a pension to Louis Christopher Tiedemann.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhis, of New Jersey ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2211—
Granting a pension to Bridget Leaffy, widow of Lawrence W. Leaffy.
Introduced by Mr. Voorhis, of New Jersey ..... 1869
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1869

H. R. No. 2212—
Granting a pension to Valeria M. Penrose, widow of William M. Penrose, late lieutenant-colonel Sixth Regiment of Infantry, Pennsylvania Reserve Corps.
Introduced by Mr. Beltzhoover, of Pensylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2213—
For the relief of John Gotshall.
Introduced by Mr. Beltzhoover, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2214—
Granting a pension to Harry E. Williams, late hospital steward, One hundred and thirty-sixth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Ward, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2215—
To remove the charge of desertion from the military record of John Rodgers.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2216—
Granting a pension to Ferdinand Duchanois, Guy's Mills, Crawford County, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Fisher, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2217—
For the relief of Halena Hermans, of Shunk, Sullivan County, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Mitchell, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1870

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H. R. No. 2218—
Granting a pension to T. B. Hutchison, guardian of Mary S. Shurlock.
Introduced by Mr. Klotz, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2219—
For the relief of Charles Collins.
Introduced by Mr. Henry, of Maryland ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2220—
To amend the laws relating to the internal-revenue stamps for cigars.
Introduced by Mr. Henkle, of Maryland ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2221—
For the relief of Franklin D. Pearson.
Introduced by Mr. Talbott, of Maryland ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2222—
For the relief of Eben Eveleth.
Introduced by Mr. Tillman, of South Carolina ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2223—
To change section 5211 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Persons, of Georgia ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2224—
For the relief of D. K. Love.
Introduced by Mr. Persons, of Georgia ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2225—
For the relief of John J. Mannerlyn, of the State of Georgia.
Introduced by Mr. Nicholls, of Georgia ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2226—
To provide an equal distribution of Federal Government patronage to the several States and congressional districts.
Introduced by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2227—
To authorize the issue of United States notes and to provide for the redemption of certain United States bonds, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Manning, of Mississippi ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2228—
For the relief R. J. Turnbull, of Mississippi.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2229—
Granting a pension to John Tracey.
Introduced by Mr. Le Fevre, of Ohio ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2230—
For the relief of Henry Beckman.
Introduced by Mr. Butterworth, of Ohio ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2231—
For the relief of Alexander Swift & Co., partners, and Alexander Swift & Co. and the Niles Works.
Introduced by Mr. Butterworth, of Ohio ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2232—
Increasing the amount of pension of John M. Daniel, of Lee County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2233—
To provide that all parties making contracts or agreements in violation of law, whereby money may be drawn from the Treasury of the United States, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, &c.
Introduced by Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2234—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Gordon, widow of Powhattan Gordon, of Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2235—
For the relief of the trustees of Maryville College, of the State of Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1870

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H. R. No. 2236—
For the relief of James N. McKamey, of Anderson County, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2237—
To provide office-rooms for the National Board of Health, for the publication of its reports and papers, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Epidemic Diseases ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2238—
Granting a pension to Joseph A. Hamblin.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2239—
Granting a pension to Thomas D. Davis.
Introduced by Mr. Taylor, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1870

H. R. No. 2240—
For the relief of Richard M. Rucker.
Introduced by Mr. Hostetler, of Indiana ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2241—
For the relief of John Fletcher.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2242—
For the relief of William C. Fine, of Greene County, State of Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2243—
For the relief of Lindsay Murdoch, late collector of the second district of Missouri.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of Missouri ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2244—
Granting a pension to Joseph Ball, father of Lewis Ball, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Klotz, of Pennsylvania ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2245—
To regulate the letting of mail contracts.
Introduced by Mr. Gillette, of Iowa ..... 1871
Referred to Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2246—
For the relief of Harlow J. Phelps.
Introduced by Mr. Wells, of Missouri ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2247—
Granting a pension to William Barnhard.
Introduced by Mr. Dunnell, of Minnesota ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2248—
To remove the political disabilities of Walter R. Butt, of California.
Introduced by Mr. Goode, of Virginia ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1871

H. R. No. 2249—
Granting a pension to Hampton McCrobie.
Introduced by Mr. Urner, of Maryland ..... 1872
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1872

H. R. No. 2250—
For the relief of Daniel S. Loy.
Introduced by Mr. Urner, of Maryland ..... 1872
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1872

H. R. No. 2251—
Making appropriations for defraying the expenses of the legislative, executive, and judicial departments of the Government.
Reported by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee, from the Committee on Appropriations, as a substitute for H. R. No. 2172 ..... 1873
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1873–1876
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1880
Amendments submitted and referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1910, 1943, 1944, 1962
Reported back with amendments, considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1923, 1964–1983
Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations with Senate amendments ..... 2012
Reported back and Senate amendments not all concurred in by the House; certain other amendments amended by the House ..... 2084–2088
Committee of conference appointed ..... 2072, 2097
Report of committee of conference concurred in ..... 2112, 2160–2162
Examined and signed ..... 2197, 2245
Approved by the President ..... 2280

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H. R. No. 2252—
Making appropriations for judicial expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.
Reported by Mr. McMahon, of Ohio, from the Committee on Appropriations and recommitted ..... 1877
Reported back, and referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union ..... 1892
Considered, amended, and passed by the House ..... 1893–1909
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1923
Amendment submitted and referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1951
Reported back, considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1943, 1983, 1992–2010, 2025–2045
Referred, with Senate amendment, to the House Committee on Appropriations ..... 2088
Reported back and Senate amendment non-concurred in by the House ..... 2159, 2160
Committee of conference appointed ..... 2109, 2166
Report of the committee of conference concurred in by the House ..... 2180–2186
Report of the committee of conference ordered to lie on the table by the Senate ..... 2197, 2198
Report of the committee of conference concurred in by the Senate ..... 2256, 2257
Examined and signed ..... 2263, 2279
Vetoed by the President ..... 2291, 2292
Reconsidered, and two-thirds not voting in favor, the bill was lost ..... 2292

H. R. No. 2253—
To provide for the construction of a marine hospital in the city of Memphis, Tennessee.
Reported by Mr. Reagan, of Texas, by authority of the Committee on Commerce and on behalf of Mr. Thomas Turner, of Kentucky, as a substitute for House bill No. 1607 ..... 1877
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1877
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 1880

H. R. No. 2254—
For the relief of Lieutenant Henry Z. Eaton.
Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 1890
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1890

H. R. No. 2255—
Granting a pension to Henry H. Bixler, of Company B, Twenty-fifth Ohio Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. McKinley, of Ohio ..... 1890
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1890

H. R. No. 2256—
For the relief of Charles W. Cronk.
Introduced by Mr. Blake, of New Jersey ..... 1890
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 1890

H. R. No. 2257—
To correct the military record of James James.
Introduced by Mr. Blake, of New Jersey ..... 1890
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1890

H. R. No. 2258—
For the relief of Elizabeth J. Simpson.
Introduced by Mr. McCoid, of Iowa ..... 1890
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 1890

H. R. No. 2259—
Donating condemned bronze cannon to the Soldiers' Monument Association of Birmingham, in the State of Connecticut.
Introduced by Mr. Phelps, of Connecticut ..... 1892
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1892

H. R. No. 2260—
Making an appropriation for newspapers and stationery for Senators, Members, and Delegates for the extra session of Congress which commenced March 18, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Farr, of New Hampshire ..... 1924
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 1924

H. R. No. 2261—
To provide a superintendent of gas for the Capitol building.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of West Virginia ..... 1924
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1924

H. R. No. 2262—
For the relief of Juliet Leef, widow, and the heirs of Henry Leef, deceased, owner of the bark Marie Therese, illegally seized by Alexander H. Tyler, at Bahia, Brazil.
Reported by Mr. Beale, of Virginia, from the Committee on Commerce ..... 1924
Referred, together with minority report, to the Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar ..... 1924
Reported back; objected to ..... 2251, 2252

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H. R. No. 2263—
Supplemental to an act to establish post-routes.
Reported by Mr. Cook, of Georgia, from the Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1925
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1925
Referred to the Senate Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 1923
Reported back with amendments ..... 1943
Amendments submitted and referred to the Senate Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads ..... 1944
Considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1963
Senate amendments concurred in by the House ..... 2017
Examined and signed ..... 2025, 2049
Approved by the President ..... 2195

H. R. No. 2264—
To amend section 1, page 234, volume 20, of the United States Statutes-at-Large, Forty-fifth Congress.
Reported by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Appropriations; objected to ..... 1890
Reported again, considered, and passed by the House ..... 1926
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 1951
Change of reference to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1964
Reported back, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2285
Examined and signed ..... 2306, 2312
Approved by the President ..... 2445

H. R. No. 2265—
Directing the Architect of the Capitol to remove the bathrooms of the House for the enlargement of the restaurant.
Reported by Mr. Kimmel, of Maryland, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1953
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union ..... 1953

H. R. No. 2266—
To prohibit Federal officers, claimants, and contractors from making contributions for political purposes.
Reported by Mr. Hostetler, of Indiana, from the Committee on Civil Service Reform, as a substitute for House bill No. 293 ..... 1953
Considered and ordered to be printed ..... 1954, 1955
Considered by the House ..... 2012, 2013, 2088–2095, 2156–2158, 2278, 2279, 2304–2306, 2356, 2357–2359, 2470, 2471

H. R. No. 2267—
Providing for the binding of the internal-revenue laws and manual.
Introduced by Mr. Hayes, of Illinois ..... 1984
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1984
Reported back, considered, and passed by the House ..... 2249
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing ..... 2258
Reported back, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2263
Examined and signed ..... 2307, 2312
Approved by the President ..... 2423

H. R. No. 2268—
To authorize the sale of certain property in the city of New York.
Reported by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana, from the Committee of Ways and Means, as a substitute for House bill No. 153 ..... 1985
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union ..... 1985

H. R. No. 2269—
For the relief of Calvin Bronson, of Toledo, Ohio.
Reported by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1985
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar ..... 1985

H. R. No. 2270—
To pay for expert services relating to the metric system rendered in the Forty-fifth Congress.
Reported by Mr. O'Connor, of South Carolina, from the Committee of Claims ..... 1988
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar ..... 1988

H. R. No. 2271—
For the relief of John N. Reed, A. D. Anderson, John A. Dugan, E. T. Keightley, and George T. Rogers.
Reported by Mr. Covert, of New York, from the Committee of Claims ..... 1988
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the Private Calendar ..... 1988
Report called for and read ..... 2252

H. R. No. 2272—
Directing the Secretary of the Treasury to examine and settle the accounts of certain States and the city of Baltimore, growing out of moneys expended by said States and the city of Baltimore for military purposes during the war of 1812.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Virginia ..... 1988
Referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union ..... 1988

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H. R. No. 2273—
To provide office-rooms for the National Board of Health and for the publication of its reports and papers, and for other purposes.
Reported by Mr. Hooker, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Epidemic Diseases, and recommitted ..... 1988
Reported back, considered, and Senate bill No. 675 considered in lieu thereof ..... 2249–2250, 2361–2363

H. R. No. 2274—
Concerning the Legislative Assembly of Montana.
Introduced by Mr. Maginnis, of Montana ..... 2011
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2011
Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2025
Reported back with an amendment ..... 2099
Considered, amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 2287, 2288
Senate amendments concurred in by the House ..... 2307
Examined and signed ..... 2321, 2331
Approved by the President ..... 2445

H. R. No. 2275—
Extending the provisions of an act entitled "An act for the relief of certain settlers on the public lands," approved March 3, 1877, until the 1st day of October, 1880.
Reported by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota, from the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2011
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2012
Referred to the Senate Committee on Public Lands ..... 2024
Reported back, with an amendment proposed as a substitute, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2312, 2342, 2343
Senate amendments concurred in by the House ..... 2448
Examined and signed ..... 2452, 2455
Approved by the President ..... 2477

H. R. No. 2276—
Requiring the reserve of national banking associations to be kept in the standard gold and silver coins of the United States in lieu of lawful money.
Reported by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri, from the Committee on Banking and Currency, as a substitute for House bill No. 931, and recommitted ..... 2013, 2014

H. R. No. 2277—
For the relief of Doddridge & Davis, bankers, Corpus Christi, Texas, for loss of quartermaster's check.
Introduced by Mr. Upson, of Texas ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2017

H. R. No. 2278—
For extension of patent to John Power.
Introduced by Mr. Bowman, of Massachusetts ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee on Patents ..... 2017

H. R. No. 2279—
For the relief of Michael Granery, Nicholas Wax, and Moliere Lange, of the State of Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Robertson, of Louisiana ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2017

H. R. No. 2280—
Relinquishing and granting to the Florida parishes, of the State of Louisiana, public lands as compensation to the people thereof for services in acquiring said territory from Spain in 1810.
Introduced by Mr. Robertson, of Louisiana ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2017

H. R. No. 2281—
For the relief of E. Troisgros, of New Orleans, Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Ellis, of Louisiana ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2017

H. R. No. 2282—
Granting a pension to Charles Cutler.
Introduced by Mr. Warner, of Ohio ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2017

H. R. No. 2283—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Abigail Deitz.
Introduced by Mr. Willis, of Kentucky ..... 2018
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2018

H. R. No. 2284—
Donating condemned cannon and balls to the Wayne Monumental Association.
Introduced by Mr. Ferdon, of New York ..... 2018
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2018

H. R. No. 2285—
For the relief of George W. Walker.
Introduced by Mr. Lounsbery, of New York ..... 2018
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2018

H. R. No. 2286—
For the relief of Albert S. Twitchell, postmaster at Gorham, New Hampshire.
Introduced by Mr. Farr, of New Hampshire ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2287—
For the relief of William H. Lewis.
Introduced by Mr. Crapo, of Massachusetts ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2046

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H. R. No. 2288—
To protect certificates of naturalization.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2289—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to remove the charge of desertion against Michael Hayes, late private Company I, Twenty-sixth Pennsylvania Infantry Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2290—
Granting a pension to William Bowman, Company B, Ninety-first Regiment Veteran Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2291—
Granting a pension to Robert R. Bittner, late lieutenant of Company B, Eleventh Regiment of Pennsylvania Infantry Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Yocum, of Pennsylvania ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2292—
Granting a pension to John Dillinger, late a private Fifth Regiment United States Artillery.
Introduced by Mr. Urner, of Maryland ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2293—
Granting a pension to Magdalena Bodine.
Introduced by Mr. Kimmel, of Maryland ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2294—
Relating to the compensation of commissioners authorized in section 4 of an act approved March 3, 1863.
Introduced by Mr. Johnston, of Virginia ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2295—
To re-establish the office of assistant treasurer of the United States at Charleston, South Carolina.
Introduced by Mr. O'Connor, of South Carolina ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2296—
For the relief of Moses R. Russell, of Carroll County, Georgia.
Introduced by Mr. Persons, of Georgia ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2046

H. R. No 2297—
To prohibit the hoarding of money in the United States Treasury, and to prohibit the increase of the interest-bearing debt of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2298—
To amend the act entitled "An act to grant additional rights to homestead settlers on the public lands within railroad limits," approved March 3, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Converse, of Ohio ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2299—
For the relief of John H. Massey, of Butler County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Caldwell, of Kentucky ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2300—
To place upon the pension-roll the name of Milton Wallen, of Clinton County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Caldwell, of Kentucky ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2301—
Granting a pension to James Kitchen, late of Company B, Fourteenth Regiment, Kentucky Infantry Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Phister, of Kentucky ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2302—
For the relief of G. M. Ballard, of Indianapolis, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. De La Matyr, of Indiana ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2303—
Granting a pension to Abram F. Farrar, late a first lieutenant of Company F, Thirty-fifth Indiana Volunteer Infantry.
Introduced by Mr. Browne, of Indiana ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2304—
For the relief of John P. Gregson, of Illinois.
Introduced by Mr. Thomas, of Illinois ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2305—
For the relief of Charles Ford, a former employé of the House of Representatives.
Introduced by Mr. Fort, of Illinois ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2046

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H. R. No. 2306—
Granting a pension to James O'Connor.
Introduced by Mr. Davis, of Missouri ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2307—
For the relief of Santiago de Leon, of Victoria, Texas.
Introduced by Mr. Upson, of Texas ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2308—
Granting a pension to Peter Beaver, Spring Green, Sauk County, Wisconsin.
Introduced by Mr. Caswell, of Wisconsin ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2046

H. R. No. 2309—
To enable the Cherokee Indians and their associated bands, heirs, or assigns, to sue the State of Texas, or citizens thereof, in the district or circuit courts for certain lands in said State or due consideration therefor.
Introduced by Mr. Haskell, of Kansas ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2310—
For the relief of certain settlers on the public lands.
Introduced by Mr. Ryan, of Kansas ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2311—
To fix the salaries of the judges of the Supreme Court of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Wise, of Pennsylvania ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2312—
To amend section 5515 of the Revised Statutes.
Introduced by Mr. Shelley, of Alabama ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2313—
To pay George W. Conatser for a horse lost in the service of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. McMillin, of Tennessee ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2314—
For the relief of the minor child of William H. Pulliam, late of Company F, Eighth Iowa Cavalry.
Introduced by Mr. Weaver, of Iowa ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2315—
For the relief of Isaac S. Lyon.
Introduced by Mr. Claflin, of Massachusetts ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2047
Change of reference to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2331

H. R. No. 2316—
For the relief of the trustees of New Market College, located at New Market, Tennessee.
Introduced by Mr. Houk, of Tennessee ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2317—
To amend section 3425 of the Revised Statutes-at-Large, authorizing the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to deliver stamps without prepayment thereof.
Introduced by Mr. Aldrich, of Illinois ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2318—
For the relief of John Fletcher.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2319—
Authorizing the purchase of a parcel of ground with the buildings thereon for a post-office in the city of Vincennes, Knox County, Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Cobb, of Indiana ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. 2047

H. R. No. 2320—
For the relief of Lieutenant W. H. Collings, late of the Fourteenth Pennsylvania Cavalry, now of the county of Venango, State of Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Osmer, of Pennsylvania ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2321—
Granting a pension to Mrs. Della Benner, widow of the late Lieutenant Hiram H. Benner.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2322—
For the relief of Daniel Edwards, a resident of the city of New Orleans, Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. King, of Louisiana ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 2047

H. R. No. 2323—
For the relief of William F. Walsh, a citizen of New Orleans.
Introduced by Mr. King, of Louisiana ..... 2047
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 2047

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H. R. No. 2324—
For the relief of Mrs. Ann Sheely, of Concordia Parish, in the State of Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. King, of Louisiana ..... 2048
Referred to the Committee on War Claims ..... 2048

H. R. No. 2325—
Granting lands to aid in the construction of a railroad and a branch road in the Territory of Dakota.
Introduced by Mr. Bennett, of Dakota ..... 2048
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 2048

H. R. No. 2326—
For the relief of settlers upon the Osage trust and diminished reserve lands in the State of Kansas, and for other purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Ryan, of Kansas ..... 2048
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2048
Referred to the Senate Committee on Public Lands ..... 2059

H. R. No. 2327—
To authorize the renewal of a loan therein named by the joint stock company of the Young Men's Christian Association of Washington.
Reported by Mr. Neal, of Ohio, from the Committee for the District of Columbia ..... 2050
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2050
Referred to the Senate Committee on the District of Columbia ..... 2062
Reported back, considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2196
Examined and signed ..... 2258, 2280
Approved by the President ..... 2399

H. R. No. 2328—
To provide for the settlement of all outstanding claims against the District of Columbia, and conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear the same, and for other purposes.
Proposed by Mr. Slemons, of Arkansas, as a substitute to House bill No. 298 ..... 2053
Considered, and amended by the House ..... 2053–2058

H. R. No. 2329—
Authorizing the Conway National Bank of Conway, Massachusetts, to change its location and name.
Introduced by Mr. Norcross, of Massachusetts ..... 2155
Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency ..... 2155
Reported back, considered, and passed by the House ..... 2249
Considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2253, 2254
Motion to reconsider the vote by which the bill had been passed by the Senate; agreed to ..... 2286
Motion to request the House to return bill; agreed to; order rescinded ..... 2286, 2288
Examined and signed ..... 2285, 2296
Approved by the President ..... 2423

H. R. No. 2330—
To correct the reading of an act making appropriations for the construction, repair, preservation, and completion of certain works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes, approved March 3, 1879.
Reported by Mr. Beale, of Virginia, from the Committee on Commerce ..... 2156
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2156
Amendment of title ..... 2156
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 2122

H. R. No. 2331—
Granting pensions to the widow and minor children of Michael Meenan, deceased.
Introduced by Mr. Martin, of Delaware ..... 2156
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2156

H. R. No. 2332—
To provide for the establishment of a quarantine hospital in Hampton Roads, Virginia.
Reported by Mr. Goode, of Virginia, from the Committee on Epidemic Diseases, as a substitute for House bill No. 1489 ..... 2244
Considered, and referred to Committee of the Whole ..... 2244, 2245

H. R. No. 2333—
Granting an increase of pension to Thomas Siggins, late of Company D, Forty-ninth Regiment Infantry Massachusetts Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Robinson, of Massachusetts ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2334—
Granting a pension to Noah D. Clark, of Fredonia, Chautauqua County, New York.
Introduced by Mr. Van Aernam, of New York ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2335—
Granting a pension to John Hamer, of Company B, Fifty-fourth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2289

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H. R. No. 2336—
Granting a pension to John Thomas.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2337—
To allow John Merryman and Frank Brown, of Maryland, to import and land cattle for breeding purposes.
Introduced by Mr. Talbott, of Maryland ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Agriculture ..... 2289
Reported back, considered, and passed by the House ..... 2388, 2416, 2417
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 2415
Examined and signed ..... 2435, 2447
Approved by the President ..... 2477

H. R. No. 2338—
To correct an appointment in the Pay Department of the Army.
Introduced by Mr. Johnston, of Virginia ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2339—
To remove the duty on quinine and all materials for its manufacture.
Introduced by Mr. Herbert, of Alabama ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2340—
To remove duty on quinine imported into the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2341—
For the relief of Wehrle, Werk & Son, of Middle Bass Island, Ohio.
Introduced by Mr. Monroe, of Ohio ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2342—
Granting an increase of pension to Edward Dempsey.
Introduced by Mr. McMahon, of Ohio ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2343—
For the relief of Mrs. Sallie B. McCampbell, of Jessamine County, Kentucky.
Introduced by Mr. Caldwell, of Kentucky ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 2289

H. R. No. 2344—
To place on the pension-roll the name of John A. Loudon, a private in Company A, Twelfth Regiment Kentucky Cavalry.
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Authorizing the appointment of commissioners to ascertain on what terms a mutually beneficial treaty of commerce with Brazil can be arranged.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1055

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 45—
Authorizing the appointment of commissioners to ascertain on what terms a mutually beneficial treaty of commerce with Canada can be arranged.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1055

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 46—
Authorizing the appointment of commissioners to ascertain on what terms a mutually beneficial treaty of commerce with Mexico can be arranged.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1055

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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 47—
As to giving notice to terminate the convention of the 3d of June, 1875, with his Majesty the king of the Hawaiian Islands.
Introduced by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1055
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1055

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 48—
In relation to the international exposition to be held in the city of Mexico in the year 1880.
Introduced by Mr. King, of Louisiana ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1056

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 49—
Providing for a survey of the Miami and Erie Canal, in the State of Ohio, with a view to enlarging the same to the capacity of a ship-canal.
Introduced by Mr. Hill, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Railroads and Canals ..... 1056

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 50—
Providing for the printing of 1,200 copies of the report of Clarence King.
Introduced by Mr. Butterworth, of Ohio ..... 1056
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1056

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 51—
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States prohibiting special legislation.
Introduced by Mr. Springer, of Illinois ..... 1060
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1060

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 52—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay W. H. Mansfield and others the amounts found due them under the internal-revenue laws.
Introduced by Mr. Frost, of Missouri ..... 1060
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 1060

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 53—
Directing the Secretary of the Interior to offer unappropriated public lands in the Indian Territory for settlement under the homestead and pre-emption laws.
Introduced by Mr. Waddill, of Missouri ..... 1061
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands ..... 1061

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 54—
Thanking the Mexican Government and people for contributing so heartily to the success of the late industrial mission of the American merchants and manufacturers.
Introduced by Mr. Duester, of Wisconsin ..... 1088
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1088

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 55—
Authorizing the payment of a portion of the Virginius indemnity fund to the mother of the late General W. A. C. Ryan.
Introduced by Mr. Springer, of Illinois ..... 1090
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1090
Reported back and passed by the House ..... 1555
Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1620

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 56—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to deliver to the town of Avon, Livingston County, New York, four cannon for the soldiers' monument in said town.
Introduced by Mr. Lapham, of New York ..... 1091
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1091

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 57—
Providing for an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Lapham, of New York ..... 1091
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1091

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 58—
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Lapham, of New York ..... 1091
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1091

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 59—
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States in relation to claims against the United States.
Introduced by Mr. White, of Pennsylvania ..... 1091
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1091

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 60—
Authorizing Captain G. L. Tanner, United States Navy, to accept a pair of flower vases and a laquered box from the Japanese government.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 1092
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1092
Reported back [with a substitute, H. Res. No. 74] and passed by the House ..... 1555
Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1620

Joint Resolution H. R. No. 61—
In relation to slavery in Cuba.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 1092
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1092

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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 62—
Fixing the date on which the payment of committee clerks and pages of the House of Representatives who were paid during the last session shall begin for this session.
Reported from the Committee of Accounts by Mr. Boyd, of Illinois ..... 1192
Considered and laid over ..... 1192–1194
Considered ..... 1393
Recommitted to the Committee of Accounts ..... 1398
Substitute (joint resolution H. R. No. 85) reported ..... 1830
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 63—
To provide for printing the Congressional Globe.
Introduced by Mr. Le Fevre, of Ohio ..... 1263
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1263
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 64—
Authorizing appointments and promotions in the Army of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Ewing, of Ohio ..... 1264
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1264
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 65—
Tendering the thanks of Congress to Commodore David McDougal and the officers and men of the United States ship of war Wyoming for gallantry and good conduct.
Introduced by Mr. Neal, of Ohio ..... 1264
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1264
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 66—
Legalizing the action of the President of the United States and Secretary of War in sending rations and tents to yellow-fever sufferers.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1264
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1264
Reported back favorably, and passed by the House ..... 1846
Referred to the Senate Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1879
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 67—
Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Buckner, of Missouri ..... 1265
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 1265
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 68—
To authorize the printing of 10,000 copies of the report on sheep husbandry.
Introduced by Mr. Dunn, of Arkansas ..... 1265
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1265
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 69—
Authorizing the publication by Congress of a work on the Constitution and Government of the United States for distribution.
Introduced by Mr. Stone, of Michigan ..... 1266
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1266
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 70—
Authorizing Commodore J. W. A. Nicholson, United States Navy, to accept from His Catholic Majesty the King of Spain the grand cross of naval merit.
Introduced by Mr. Whitthorne, of Tennessee ..... 1313
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1313
Reported back without amendment and passed by the House ..... 1554
Referred to the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1620
Reference changed to Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1734
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 71—
Authorizing a commission to lease a building for city post-office in Washington, District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Cook, of Georgia ..... 1335
Considered, and passed by the House ..... 1335, 1336
Referred to the Senate Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds ..... 1374
Reported back favorably ..... 1448
Postponed until first Monday in December next ..... 1449
Motion to reconsider entered ..... 1485
Vote reconsidered and resolution passed by the Senate ..... 2288
Examined and signed ..... 2307, 2369
Approved by the President ..... 2423
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 72—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to place vessels and hulks at the disposal of commissioners of quarantine or other proper persons at the ports of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Goode, of Virginia ..... 1521
Referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1521
Reported back, amended, and passed by the House ..... 1708, 1709
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1880
Examined and signed ..... 1909, 1910
Approved by the President ..... 2195
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 73—
Providing for survey and report, under the supervision of the War Department, of the best route for postal and commercial purposes from western point of railroad termination in Texas to the Gulf of California.
Introduced by Mr. Wilson, of West Virginia ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1552

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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 74—
Authorizing Lieutenant Z. L. Tanner, of the United States Navy, late commanding Pacific Mail steamer City of Peking, to accept a pair of flower vases and a lacquered box from the Japanese government.
Received in the Senate [substitute for H. Res. No. 60] ..... 1610
Referred to the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs ..... 1620
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 75—
Amending the Constitution as to the election of President and Vice-President.
Introduced by Mr. Bicknell, of Indiana ..... 1596
Referred to the Committee on the State of the Law respecting Presidential Elections ..... 1596
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 76—
To provide for the speedy payment of the workingmen of the District of Columbia.
Introduced by Mr. Murch, of Maine ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 1725
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 77—
In relation to treaty negotiations with Russia as to American Israelites.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 1725
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1725
Reported back with an amendment ..... 1891
Considered, title amended, and passed by the House ..... 1891, 1892
Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1923
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 78—
To transfer the barracks and arsenal property in the town of Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, to the trustees of the Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, for the use and accommodation of said college.
Introduced by Mr. Acklen, of Louisiana ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1727
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 79—
To supply Congress with Heyl's United States Import Duties.
Introduced by Mr. Garfield, of Ohio ..... 1727
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1727
Reported back and passed by the House ..... 2425
Referred to the Senate Committee on Finance ..... 2415
Reported back favorably ..... 2434
Passed by the Senate ..... 2435
Examined and signed ..... 2453, 2455
Approved by the President ..... 2477
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 80—
To apply the amount appropriated by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1877, to pay certain mail contractors.
Introduced by Mr. Young, of Tennessee ..... 1728
Referred to Committee on the Post-Office and Post-Roads ..... 1728
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 81—
To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue an American register to the brig Katie.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 1728
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1728
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 82—
In relation to the international exhibitions to be held at Sydney and Melbourne, Australia, in 1879 and 1880.
Introduced by Mr. Cox, of New York ..... 1732
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1733
Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 1739
Reported back and passed by the Senate ..... 1777
Examined and signed ..... 1809, 1829
Approved by the President ..... 1988
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 83—
Donating condemned cannon to Morton Monumental Association, of Indiana.
Introduced by Mr. Browne, of Indiana ..... 1764
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1764
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 84—
Appropriating $4,000 for printing 15,000 copies of the letter of the Secretary of State, with consular report, &c., on the state of labor in Europe.
Introduced by Mr. Goode, of Virginia ..... 1798
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 1798
Joint resolution H. R. No. 85—
Fixing the date on which the pay of the committee clerks and pages of the House of Representatives, who are paid during the session only, shall begin for this session.
Reported from the Committee of Accounts, as a substitute for joint resolution H. R. No. 62, by Mr. Henry, of Maryland. 1830
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1830–1834
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1829
Reported back with amendments ..... 1861
Considered, title amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 1886, 1887
House non-concurs in Senate amendments and a committee of conference asked ..... 1956
Conference committee appointed ..... 1963, 1986
Conference report concurred in ..... 2109, 2180
Examined and signed ..... 2198, 2249
Approved by the President ..... 2399

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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 86—
Directing the Secretary of War to ascertain the description and value of the property of the Cherokee citizens included in the present military reservation and post at Fort Gibson, Indian Territory, and to report same to Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Gunter, of Arkansas ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1868
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 87—
Relating to a bridge across Detroit River at or near Detroit.
Introduced by Mr. Newberry, of Michigan ..... 1868
Referred to the Committee on Commerce ..... 1868
Reported back with amendments and passed by the House. 2011
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 2010
Reported back and passed by the Senate ..... 2059
Examined and signed ..... 2109, 2159
Approved by the President ..... 2280
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 88—
Allowing extra compensation to the laborers in the House folding-room for extra work.
Introduced by Mr. Wright, of Pennsylvania ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Accounts ..... 1870
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 89—
For the relief of Joseph Baumer.
Introduced by Mr. Herbert, of Alabama ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 1870
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 90—
To apply the amount appropriated by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1877, to pay certain mail contractors.
Introduced by Mr. Thompson, of Kentucky ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Appropriations ..... 1870
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 91—
Authorizing a change in the plan of the House.
Introduced by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee ..... 1870
Referred to the Committee on Ventilation ..... 1870
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 92—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to deliver to the city of Charles City, Floyd County, Iowa, four cannon and carriages for the soldiers' monument in said city.
Introduced by Mr. Deering, of Iowa ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 1871
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 93—
For printing of American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac.
Introduced by Mr. Garfield, of Ohio ..... 1871
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1871
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 94—
Directing a monument to be erected to mark the birth-place of George Washington.
Introduced by Mr. Harris, of Virginia ..... 1890
Considered and passed unanimously by the House ..... 1890
Considered and passed by the Senate ..... 1888
Examined and signed ..... 1923, 1932
Approved by the President ..... 2195
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 95—
To pay Patrick Doran for services as messenger, House of Representatives.
Reported from the Committee of Claims by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 1891
Considered and passed by the House ..... 1891
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 1923
Reported back and passed by the Senate ..... 1951
Examined and signed ..... 2010, 2014
Approved by the President ..... 2195
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 96—
Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to make final adjustment of claims of certain foreign steamship companies arising from an illegal exaction of tonnage duties.
Reported from the Committee on Foreign Affairs by Mr. Rice, of Massachusetts ..... 1926
Recommitted to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 1926
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 97—
To pay G. V. Hebb $55.
Reported from the Committee of Claims by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 1988
Referred to Committee of the Whole on Private Calendar .. 1988
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 98—
To pay the claim of L. H. Fitzhugh for services in the Forty-fourth Congress.
Reported from the Committee of Claims by Mr. Samford, of Alabama ..... 1988
Referred to Committee of the Whole on Private Calendar .. 1988
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2474
Considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2467, 2468
Examined and signed ..... 2468, 2476
Approved by the President ..... 2477
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 99—
Authorizing the President to place the name of James H. Rice on the retired list with the rank of captain.
Introduced by Mr. Warner, of Ohio ..... 2017
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2017

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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 100—
Allowing extra compensation to the firemen employed for heating and ventilating the House for extra work.
Introduced by Mr. Murch, of Maine ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee of Accounts ..... 2046
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 101—
Proposing an amendment to Constitution of the United States.
Introduced by Mr. Finley, of Ohio ..... 2046
Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary ..... 2046
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 102—
Authorizing a survey of the Mississippi River near Lake Concordia, Louisiana, and Cowpen Bend, Mississippi.
Reported from the Committee on Commerce by Mr. Acklen, of Louisiana ..... 2083
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2083, 2084
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 2073
Reported back favorably and passed by the Senate ..... 2343
Examined and signed ..... 2387, 2401
Approved by the President ..... 2445
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 103—
To pay C. R. Faulkner $32.50 in full for services as messenger in the Forty-fifth Congress.
Reported from the Committee of Claims by Mr. Barber, of Illinois ..... 2155
Referred to Committee of the Whole on Private Calendar .. 2155
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 104—
Defining the meaning of section 2 of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the payment of arrears of pensions granted by act of Congress approved January 25, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Neal, of Ohio ..... 2156
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2156
Referred to the Senate Committee on Pensions ..... 2122
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 105—
For the relief of J. Russell Barbee.
Introduced by Mr. Shelley, of Alabama ..... 2186
Referred to the Committee of Claims ..... 2186
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 106—
Providing for the payment of John E. Kelly for services as messenger to the Committee of Ways and Means.
Reported from the Committee of Accounts by Mr. Smith, of Pennsylvania ..... 2246
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2246, 2247
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 2253
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 107—
Authorizing the Secretary of War to use $5,000 of the appropriation for Charleston Harbor for the protection of Sullivan's Island from the inroads of the sea.
Reported from the Committee on Commerce by Mr. Acklen, of Louisiana ..... 2250
Passed by the House ..... 2250
Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce ..... 2258
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 108—
To authorize the President of the United States to return the Twiggs sword to Mrs. Rowena Gnedella.
Introduced by Mr. Ellis, of Louisiana ..... 2271
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2271
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 109—
To print additional copies of the report of the centennial commission.
Introduced by Mr. Coffroth, of Pennsylvania ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 2289
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 110—
Authorizing Lieutenant Benjamin H. Buckingham, of the United States Navy, to accept a decoration conferred upon him by the President of the French Republic.
Introduced by Mr. McKinley, of Ohio ..... 2289
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 2289
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 111—
Granting condemned cannon to the Monumental Association of Franklin, Pennsylvania.
Introduced by Mr. Osmer, of Pennsylvania ..... 2290
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs ..... 2290
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 112—
Authorizing First Lieutenant Henry Metcalfe, of the Ordnance Department, United States Army, to accept a decoration from the Sultan of Turkey.
Introduced by Mr. Hawley, of Connecticut ..... 2291
Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs ..... 2291
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 113—
To provide for the purchase of the stereotype plates of the final reports of the Centennial Commission upon the centennial exhibition of 1876.
Introduced by Mr. Hawley, of Connecticut ..... 2300
Considered and passed by the House ..... 2301
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 2312
Reported back without amendment and passed by Senate 2339
Examined and signed ..... 2365, 2369
Approved by the President ..... 2423

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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 114—
Donating certain granite blocks to Mower Post, Grand Army of the Republic, of New Orleans, Louisiana.
Introduced by Mr. Ellis, of Louisiana ..... 2328
Passed by the House ..... 2328
Passed by the Senate ..... 2353
Examined and signed ..... 2387, 2401
Approved by the President ..... 2445
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 115—
For the payment of C. S. Henry, a page in the Forty-fifth Congress.
Introduced by Mr. Muldrow, of Mississippi ..... 2331
Referred to the Committee of Accounts ..... 2331
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 116—
To amend the act entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes."
Reported from the Committee on Appropriations by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee ..... 2420
Considered, and passed by the House ..... 2421–2424
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 2413
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 117—
Providing for a treaty with the Republic of Mexico.
Reported from the Committee on Foreign Affairs by Mr. Wilson, of West Virginia ..... 2425
Considered, and passed by the House ..... 2425–2427
Referred to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations ..... 2416
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Joint Resolution H. R. No. 118—
In relation to committee clerks, pages, and other employés of the Senate and House of Representatives.
Reported from the Committee on Appropriations by Mr. Blackburn, of Kentucky ..... 2444
Considered, and passed by the House ..... 2444, 2445
Referred to the Senate Committee on Appropriations ..... 2436
Amendment submitted and referred ..... 2436
Reported back with amendments ..... 2455
Considered, amended, title amended, and passed by the Senate ..... 2455, 2456
House non-concurs in Senate amendments and asks a conference ..... 2470
Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference ..... 2460
Conference committee appointed ..... 2460, 2470
Conference report concurred in ..... 2467, 2475
Examined and signed ..... 2467, 2477
Approved by the President ..... 2477
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 119—
To pay employés borne on annual roll one month's extra pay.
Introduced by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 2473
Passed by the House ..... 2473
Considered, and passed by the Senate ..... 2465, 2466
Examined and signed ..... 2468, 2475
Approved by the President ..... 2477
Joint Resolution H. R. No. 120—
To pay A. R. Potts and C. F. Rainey for services in the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives.
Introduced by Mr. Hooker, of Mississippi ..... 2473
Passed by the House ..... 2473
Laid on the table in the Senate ..... 2465

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS.

A concurrent resolution—
That there shall be printed as issued 5,000 copies of each of the quarto reports and accompanying topographical and geological atlas sheets of the United States geographical surveys west of the one hundredth meridian, under the Engineer Bureau of the War Department, and in charge of First Lieutenant George M. Wheeler, Corps of Engineers; 3,000 copies for the House of Representatives, 1,000 copies for the Senate, and 1,000 copies for the use of the War Department; the printing from the stereotype plates and binding to be done by the Government Printer, and the style of the text, together with the accompanying plates, maps, and atlas sheets to correspond with those now printed; the later from proofs corrected and approved at the office of the United States Topographical Surveys.
Introduced by Mr. Talbott, of Maryland ..... 521
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 521
A concurrent resolution—
That a special joint committee of seven Members and three Senators be appointed to take order for superintending the funeral and to escort the remains of Hon. Rush Clark, late a Representative from the State of Iowa, to his late residence in Iowa, and the necessary expenses attending the execution of this order shall be paid out of the contingent fund of the House.
Introduced by Mr. Price, of Iowa ..... 979
Adopted by the House ..... 979
Concurred in by the Senate ..... 979
A concurrent resolution—
That the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives declare their respective Houses adjourned *sine die* at twelve o'clock, on the — day of May, 1879.
Introduced by Mr. Fernando Wood, of New York ..... 1268
Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means ..... 1268
A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed 100,000 copies of Special Report No. 12 of the Commissioner of Agriculture, containing the reports of the examiners appointed to investigate the diseases of swine, and contagious and infectious diseases incident to other classes of domesticated animals, of which 70,000 copies shall be printed for the use of members of the House, 25,000 for the use of members of the Senate, and 5,000 copies for the use of the Commissioner of Agriculture.
Introduced by Mr. Dibrell, of Tennessee ..... 1485
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1485
Reported back, considered, and agreed to by the House ..... 1891
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing ..... 1923
Reported back, and concurred in by the Senate ..... 2062

A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed 15,000 copies of the consular reports, with the letter of the Secretary of State transmitting the same, showing the rates of wages, hours of labor, prices of food, and general condition of the working classes in the several countries of Europe; 8,000 copies for the use of the House, 4,000 copies for the use of the Senate, and 3,000 copies for the use of the Department of State; and that the amount of money necessary for the publication of the same be, and is hereby, appropriated out of any moneys in the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated.
Introduced by Mr. Goode, of Virginia ..... 1552
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1552
Reported back with an amendment ..... 1709
Amendment agreed to and resolution adopted as amended by the House ..... 1709
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing ..... 1739
Reported back, and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2195
A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed at the Government Printing Office 3,000 copies of volume 2 of the geological series of the reports of the geographical and geological survey of the Rocky Mountain region, entitled "The Geology of the Henry Mountain," with the necessary illustrations and charts, 1,000 copies of which shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, 500 for the use of the Senate, 1,000 for the use of the Department of the Interior, and 500 for the use of the survey; the illustrations and charts to be made by the Public Printer, under the direction of the Joint Committee on Public Printing.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 1666
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1666
Reported back with amendment ..... 1924
Considered, modified, and adopted by the House ..... 1925
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing ..... 1951
Reported back, and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2195
A concurrent resolution—
That there be printed at the Government Printing Office 2,000 copies of volume 4 of the geological series of the reports of the geographical and geological survey of the Rocky Mountain region, entitled "Geology of the Black Hills of Dakota," with the necessary illustrations and charts, 1,000 copies of which shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, 500 for the use of the Senate, and 500 for the use of the Department of the Interior; the illustrations and charts to be made by the Public Printer, under the direction of the Joint Committee on Public Printing.
Introduced by Mr. Stevenson, of Illinois ..... 1666
Referred to the Committee on Printing ..... 1666

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A concurrent resolution—
That the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives declare their respective Houses adjourned *sine die* at twelve o'clock on the 10th day of June, 1879.
Reported from the Committee of Ways and Means by Mr. Gibson, of Louisiana ..... 1708

A concurrent resolution—
That the joint Committee on Enrolled Bills be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to change and correct the title of House bill No. 1999, entitled "An act to amend an act entitled 'An act making appropriations for the construction, repair, preservation, and completion of certain works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes,' approved March 4, 1879," as passed by the two Houses of Congress at the present session, by striking out the word "fourth," which occurs therein, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "third."
Reported from Committee on Enrolled Bills by Mr. Kenna, of West Virginia ..... 1805
Adopted by the House ..... 1806
Referred to the Senate Committee on Enrolled Bills ..... 1829
Reported back, and concurred in by the Senate ..... 1861

A concurrent resolution—
That 10,000 extra copies of House Report No. 14, first session Forty-sixth Congress, be printed at the Government Printing Office; 2,500 copies for the use of the Senate and 7,500 copies for the use of the House of Representatives.
Reported from the Committee on Printing by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi ..... 2247
Amended and adopted by the House ..... 2247
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing ..... 2258
Reported back, and agreed to by the Senate ..... 2286

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Reported from the Committee of Ways and Means by Mr. Morrison, of Illinois ..... 1890
Adopted by the House ..... 1890
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That 8,000 copies of the eulogies delivered on the late J. E. Leonard, a member of the Forty-fifth Congress from Louisiana, together with a portrait of the deceased, executed under direction of the Joint Committee on Printing, be printed; 6,000 copies thereof for the use of the House of Representatives and 2,000 copies for the use of the Senate.
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